

## FIELD MARSHAL

## UNIFORM WAS HIDDEN BY AN OLD GRAY COAT

Which is Believed to Have a Lining of Fine Steel Mail.

## GREAT CROWDS GREETED SULTAN

Outside Palace Walls as He Paid Weekly Visit to Mosque.

The Trip Being an Ovation to Him as Master and Saint.

Constantinople, April 22.—The sultan appeared upon the streets of Constantinople today and was greeted by the people with cries of adoration. With a masklike countenance and his head sunk between his shoulders, he received the salutations of the crowds.

The occasion of his majesty's appearance was his regular Friday visit to the white mosque outside the walls of the city. It was the first time the sultan had been seen in public since the revolutionary outbreak of April 16.

On the word that the sultan would appear today the people in great numbers made their way to greet the sultan at the Yildiz Kiosk. From the gate of the palace a narrow way led to the mosque, the broad driveway was lined on either side by the picked regiments of the army, representing every branch in the service.

Back of the soldiers the people gathered in a dense throng. At noon the gates were thrown open and the sultan appeared in his customary victoria. He drove the short distance to the mosque and at once entered to say his prayers. After the completion of his devotion, he returned by the same way he came and disappeared through the broad portal into the guarded precincts of his palace.

His majesty's presence was marked by an ovation the people as he drove by, shouting him as their master and a saint. His majesty nodded to right and left as his victoria was driven at a slow pace through the lines of soldiers and he carried his right hand at a salute.

As the sultan drove by the terrace of white stone that is used by distinguished visitors to witness his passage to and from the mosque, he looked carefully to see if any of the spectators were present. None were there, however, as they both had agreed to remain away.

His majesty's customary uniform, that of a field marshal, was covered today by an old grey overcoat that he has had and worn for years. This garment is commonly believed to have a lining of fine steel mail, and his majesty certainly looked thicker today than he does when he is receiving in the palace.

## PROTECTION TO LIFE

Both Bird and Human is Object of New Bill Introduced

## IN LEGISLATURE OF SUCKER STATE.

It Also Refuses to Allow Hat Pins to Extend Over 6 Inches.

Spring Hill, April 23.—Big hats and those ornamented with the skins of birds or reptiles or "furs" are prohibited under heavy penalties in a bill introduced in the house today by Representative Hill.

The bill provides that it will be unlawful to sell or to expose for sale any hat more than 18 inches in diameter or with aligrette, pin, or other ornaments projecting more than six inches beyond the brim or bearing any dead body of stuffed skin of a bird, snake, lizard or other animal, reptile or insect.

The bill provides that nothing shall prevent the display of freakish types and models for the purpose of education or amusement.

The bill was referred to the committee on miscellaneous subjects.

## NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Columbus, O., April 23.—George M. Johnson Co., Cleveland. Photo-Engraving Supply Company, \$15,000. John L. Dowling. Northcott-Smith-Wilson Co., Cleveland, \$25,000. Lewis N. Gotsch. Progress Sign Co., Cincinnati, \$23,000. Howard Purris. Electric Manufacturing Co., Cleveland, \$25,000. M. C. Ross.

## GRAIN PIT

Unseasonable and Prices Fall Hard for Cattle Raisers.

(Chicago, April 23.—The grain market was closed at least temporarily on profit taking by shorts, and in the absence of particular pressure. May wheat closed 1 1/2c and July 1 1/2c over yesterday.

Corn declined heavily early, but regained most of the loss late in the session. (Chicago, April 23.—Demand for grain was more general today in the grain pits on the board of trade, heavy liquidation which caused the sensational slump in wheat prices yesterday having extended to corn grain.

During the first few minutes of trading July wheat sold off to \$1.05 1/2 which was 1/2c below the low point of the preceding session. Corn for May delivery broke more than four cents from the best mark of the previous day, declining early in the day to 67 1/2c per bushel.

At this point there was a moment's hesitation and a fractional recovery. Then July broke further to 65 1/2c. May corn which at the best point yesterday sold at 72 cents, declined today to 67 1/2c cents on early trading. May wheat tumbled to \$1.05 1/2. The market was extremely nervous.

Topeka, Kan., April 23.—Secretary F. D. Carburn of the state board of agriculture, in a statement issued says that there has been a decrease of 400,000 acres in wheat in Kansas as compared with last year. He places the acreage at 8,000,000 and the average condition at 85 per cent. There are few insect pests in the fields and the conditions are the poorest in the eastern and southern sections of the state.

## RODE COWCATCHER

And Saw Plenty of Game of Kind You See in Ring.

## ROOSEVELT PARTY IS APPROACHING

Scene of Hunting Triumph and Dollar a Word for Stories.

Makindu, British East Africa, April 23.—The special train that left Mombasa Thursday bearing Theodore Roosevelt and the members of his party to the ranch of Sir Alfred Pease on the Athi river, arrived here this morning. All the members of the party are well and had a good night. There are enjoying the trip immensely.

Machakos Road, British East Africa, April 23.—The Roosevelt special arrived at Mt. Chamos road, 276 miles from Mombasa at midday. The weather is fine and sunny and all the members of the party are enjoying themselves greatly.

Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Selos, Major Means and Edmund Heller rode on the cow catcher of the locomotive from Makindu. They had a magnificent view of snow-capped Kilimanjaro. Herd of game was seen from the train, including about twenty giraffe with their young, close to the line; Wildebeestes, hartbeestes, waterbucks, zebras, dikkers, guinea fowl, ostriches in great number.

CLUB MEMBERS MIXED ON DATE. Columbus, O., April 23.—By a mistake in dates last night Governor and Mrs. Harmon "dressed up" and awaited the coming of the members of the Jefferson club of this city for whom they had prepared a nice supper. None appeared and today it was learned that there had been a mistake, the members thinking that they were to come this evening. The governor went to Cincinnati this afternoon and the members will be received Tuesday night.

## FIRST SUCKERS, NOW IT'S TROUT.

Trinidad, Colo., April 23.—James A. Patton, Chicago "wheat king," but for the present the "Shynx of the Rockies" set forth to catch trout today. He seemed as unconcerned about the affairs of the Chicago wheat pit as any one on the ranch.

## HER HAPPINESS WAS SHORT LIVED.

El Paso, Tex., April 23.—Ruth Albro, trained nurse, daughter of Dr. Adair Albro, of 307 Merrick avenue, Detroit, man of letters and descendant of Mayflower Pilgrims, last night married James G. Howard, of Los Angeles, Cal., against the will of father and brothers.

At the time Howard was out on bond on charges of issuing a fraudulent check and carrying a revolver, and today he was arrested on the charges of threatening to take the life of Ward Albro, brother of the bride, and of embezzling \$60 from a fraternal brotherhood.

The bridegroom languishes in jail, and the bride weeps outside in the corridor.

The father of the bride is at Columbus, N. J., for his health, serving as Assistant United States Commissioner.

## NEARLY EVERY

## ARMENIAN HOME HAS BEEN BURNED BY MOSLEMS.

Permission Refused British Commander to Land Troops.

## THOUSANDS OF STARVING WIDOWS

And Orphans in Beirut District Who Cannot Get Away.

Killing of American Missionaries is Verified by Cables.

Tarsus, April 23.—The rioting that originated at Adana broke out here April 16. A few Armenians were killed, the whole Armenian quarter was burned and the churches were sacked. Over 4,000 refugees are still gathered in the yard of the American college. Their condition is pitiable. (The missionaries at Tarsus are safe, but they are still apprehensive for the refugees.

Massacres are raging today in the neighboring Armenian villages and instant relief is needed.

Alexanderetta, April 23.—Fugitives who arrived here yesterday relate that all the Armenian villages and settlements in the Alexanderetta district are being destroyed. Nearly every Armenian dwelling has been burned by the fanatical Moslems and the Armenians living are in the open half starved.

The village of Berian, a short distance south of Alexanderetta has held out with difficulty against the Nomad tribesmen.

The British warship which sailed to relieve Beirut, an Armenian village, on the coast, returned to Alexanderetta without having accomplished anything. The commander of the vessel applied to the governor of the district for permission to land a relief party, but he was refused. Two more British warships are expected here shortly. One of the other foreign warships in port left today for Beirut.

Aleppo, April 23.—Many refugees have arrived here from the Alexanderetta district. Their condition is miserable. Intense alarm exists among the Armenians still alive of a recurrence of the attacks upon them.

Constantinople, April 23.—It is reported here today that at the secret session of the national assembly held at San Stefano yesterday 150 deputies voted in favor of the deposition of the sultan.

Beirut, April 23.—The Armenian population of Antioch and vicinity has been practically wiped out in the massacre of the last few days by fanatical Moslems. There are thousands of destitute Armenian widows and orphans still in the district unable to get away. There is no security anywhere in the vicinity of Antioch.

The situation at Alexanderetta continues critical. Berian is still holding out against the tribesmen that surround it.

Troops are arriving here and the authorities are taking energetic measures for the preservation of order. Many people are leaving Beirut for the Lebanon.

The British cruiser Diana came in port today.

Constantinople, April 23.—A cablegram received here today from Messina sets forth conclusively that both Henry Moyer and D. M. Rogers, American missionaries were killed during the rioting at Adana.

## GOVERNOR GIVES SHAKE-UP NOTICE.

Columbus, April 23.—The Gallop state hospital is to be given a thorough shaking up. Whether this is to include the displacement of Superintendent William H. Fritchard, formerly of one of the Columbus state institutions, is yet to be determined, but it is known that Governor Harmon has communicated to the board of trustees a desire that the institution be given a complete re-organization, and this will take place not later than one month hence, when the next regular meeting will be held.

## TRADE IMPROVING.

New York, April 23.—Dispatches to Dun's Review indicate a steady increase in the trade of the country.

## PROVED GOOD THING TO KEEP.

Pathesville, O., April 23.—A silver mine on Colorado retained by the creditors of the defunct Pathesville Savings and Loan association which failed about fifteen years ago is proving a blessing to many of the depositors, who had never expected to see a penny of their money again.

The mine was retained and eventually leased. April 1st a second dividend was declared. Another dividend declared today gives the creditors \$15,000 or a per cent of their claims.

## HAYWOOD FORCED TO MAKE APOLOGY.

Sacramento, Cal., April 23.—William B. Haywood, President of the Western Federation of Miners, and his press agent, A. Meyer, were made to apologize by Captain E. J. Cox, an officer in the United States Army during the Spanish American War, for an insult accorded in the lobby of the Grand Hotel after Haywood had lectured Meyer wore a red flag in his button hole and remarked that he hoped to live to see that emblem wave above the stars and stripes. Cox demanded an apology, threatening to punch Meyer Haywood appeared and told Cox who he was.

Cox replied: "So you are Bill Haywood, eh? Well, you and my friend will say good words or I will break your bones."

Haywood apologized and left the hotel with Meyer.

Cox is a son of Major Raleigh Cox, of the United States Army.

## CANDIDATES OUT OF

West Captures Presidency of Daughters of American Revolution.

## ILLINOIS WOMAN BEAT MRS. STOREY.

Motion to Make Election Unanimously Met With Many Refusals.

Washington, April 23.—For more than half an hour the opening of today's session of the Daughters of the American Revolution was postponed in order that the tellers might finish counting the votes cast yesterday.

Mrs. Avery, at 11 15 a. m., presented the report of thirty-two tired, weary-looking tellers. The report showed that Mrs. Matthew S. Scott, of Illinois, the administration candidate, had been elected president general over her competitor, Mrs. Cummins Storey, of New York, by a vote of 426 to 425. Rounds of applause greeted the announcement of the votes. Mrs. Storey moved to make the election unanimous, but a chorus of delegates refused to join her. Mrs. Storey bespoke for Mrs. Scott the support of all members.

The total vote cast at the election was 873, but the total legal vote for president general was 664. The tellers were unable to report further on the vote.

On a motion of Mrs. Murphy, of Ohio, a resolution was adopted making Mrs. Donald McLean, the retiring president-general, an honorary president-elect, was escorted to the platform by a corps of pages. The delegates applauded loudly.

His Temper is Mean

Lands on French Soil and Delivers Long, Rambling Statement.

## ATTACKS UNITED STATES FOR WHAT

He Terms Playing Into Hands of His Foes in Venezuela.

St. Nazaire, April 23.—The steamship Versailles with Cipriano Castro, the deposed president of Venezuela aboard arrived here at daylight. An intimate friend of Castro and a number of Venezuelans and journalists boarded the vessel as soon as possible. Castro had not emerged from his cabin and his friend was the first to reach him. When the friend appeared after 15 minutes he announced that Senator Castro still complained of being ill and that he had suffered severely from the rolling of the ship. The captain of the Versailles took a contrary view however saying that Castro appeared to be in fairly good condition and during the voyage had appeared frequently on deck, talking with compatriots and gesticulating wildly.

Before Senator Castro left his cabin he sent for a newspaper correspondent and sitting up in bed with a night cap on his head, delivered a long and rambling statement. He attacked the United States for playing the hands of his enemies in Venezuela and sending warships to allow his movements. He declared that Venezuela was lost if the people submitted like slaves to foreign meddling.

In spite of his assertion that he did not know what he was going to do, it later became clear that Castro had planned to go to Paris. His baggage was taken ashore and placed on a train and he left at once for the capital.

Passengers on the Versailles said that when Castro was brought on board the steamer at Port de France he declared that he had been allowed to take his way to Venezuela, he would soon have raised an army to overthrow his enemies.

## SENATOR ROOT

## CHIEF SPEAKER AT THIRD ANNUAL MEETING

Of American Society of International Law, in New York.

## WHAT IS JUST IN THIS CASE

Should be Only Question Argued in International Differences.

Courts Liable to be Affected by Prejudice and Pressure.

Washington, April 23.—Important phases of international law will be discussed at the third annual meeting of the American society of international law which began its session here today. The sessions will continue for two days. Among the speakers will be men of international reputation in such questions as the growth of the American system of international law as compared with universal international law; the powers which an international court of arbitration should possess; political offenses in international extradition and the codification of maritime international law.

Senator Root, president of the society, opened the meeting today, taking for his subject of his annual address "The Relations Between the Jurisdiction of National Courts and International Arbitration."

An address was made by Senator Elihu Root, of New York, president of the society, and former secretary of state. He took for his subject "The Relations Between International Tribunals of Arbitration and the Jurisdiction of National Courts."

Particular reference was made to the Drago doctrine. Senator Root contending that the submission to international tribunals implies no impairment of sovereignty.

Senator Root admitted that the rule that where there has been a denial of justice in national courts, their decisions are not to be held conclusive, and arbitration may be called for, was injurious in its effects. It involves imputations upon high officials, and tended to destroy good feeling between nations.

"The better rule would be to avoid the danger of denials of justice and to prevent the belief that justice has not been done, which must always possess the parties defeated in a tribunal suspected of partiality," he said, "by submitting in the first instance to an impartial arbitral tribunal all such cases as are liable to be effected by the consideration I have mentioned."

The reason of such a rule, he explained, would require that when such cases had been decided already by national courts, and the impartial justice of the decision seriously questioned, they should be re-submitted to an arbitral tribunal, not for proof that justice had been denied, but for re-hearing on their merits.

Senator Root argued that in international controversy the only question is "What is just in this case?" Sovereigns and presidents, ministers and department officers are not insulated by a provision for a court to ascertain what is just, he added.

"Because the common sense of the questions which arise between the governments which they conduct, and others, is such that they cannot well be impartial. The statement was made that the same rule could not be ignored in arriving at what is just in an international case. Circumstances such as the general state of feeling, the resources of the country, and the political importance of the issue, were cited to show how impartial it is difficult to obtain without arbitral tribunals.

If recourse to arbitration is a recognition upon national courts," he said, "the people of the United States have been strangely obtuse. Nowhere in the world, surely, is greater honor paid to the courts of justice, yet we have embodied in our fundamental law which binds our states together, a recognition of the liability of courts to be affected by local sentiment, prejudice and pressure."

He told how the proud independent sovereign commonwealths like Virginia and Pennsylvania, and New York and Massachusetts, which formed the American union, revered their judges. "They were prepared to give, and did give to their courts a degree of authority over them and their executives, without precedent in the history of free government, but they revered justice, they prized peace and concord and friendship and brotherhood between the states and their citizens. When the ever-recurring question arises between submission of controversies to international arbitration on the one hand and insistence upon the jurisdiction of national tribunals on the other, the nations look to the framers of the American constitution as an example of high constructive statesmanship and wisdom, should not fail to stand in their judgment, matter to arrest their attention and induce their action."

## POLICE

Thank Young Mother Who Ran Away From Home.

Cincinnati, April 23.—Word was received here today that Leo Mathers, the 12-year-old boy who disappeared from his home in this city last Wednesday following the receipt by his mother of two letters demanding money, had arrived at the home of his grandfather, Policeman Edward Rafferty, in Ironton, Ohio. The boy told his grandfather that he was stolen by two men and taken to some town in West Virginia. He said he escaped and came to Ironton on a Chesapeake & Ohio train. It is believed here that the boy ran away from home.

Ironton, O., April 23.—Leo Mathers, who, foot sore and weary, arrived today at the home of his grandfather, Policeman Edward Rafferty, said he was on the way to school last Wednesday when some one knocked him down. He did not remember anything until coming down the steps in a large building in company with two men, one tall, the other heavy-set. They walked the railroad track for some distance when the men asked him to take a horse from a man's barn.

The boy said he ran away from the men at the barn and escaped them. He followed the railroad until he reached Ironton. He had five cents when he arrived here.

## HEADQUARTERS CHANGED.

Nashville, Tenn., April 23.—The headquarters of the National Hardware Manufacturers' Association will be removed from Nashville to Cincinnati on May 1.

## SCOTT OF SALVATION

Army Says He Will Fill South Bend Jail With Officers

## UNLESS POLICE QUIT STOPPING

Holding of Meetings on Corners of Streets as Now Ordered.

South Bend, Ind., April 23.—"We'll fill the South Bend jail with Salvation Army officers," declared Major William Scott, division manager of the Salvation Army, who arrived here today to take charge of the campaign against the police rule that the army shall not hold meetings on street corners. "Every officer in the country," he continued, "will volunteer to go to jail here just as Captain Brook has done."

Captain Brook who was sentenced to jail a few days ago and whose wife and children are free under suspended sentences, continues to hold religious meetings with the other prisoners and say his imprisonment is of good effect.

## PONIES CAUSED HIS DOWNFALL.

St. Louis, Mo., April 23.—Attributing his downfall to playing the ponies, Frank M. Edgington, a collector for the Illinois Central railway, at East St. Louis, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of embezzling \$2,608 from the railroad company before Judge Holder, in the Belleville circuit court today, and was sentenced to an indeterminate term in the Chester penitentiary.

Edgington's home is in Louisville, Kentucky. With tears in his eyes Edgington told of his infatuation for the "ponies" and of his desperate efforts to recoup his losses after he had made the first false step.

He made no extenuating plea, but told the court he was willing to accept the penalty of his wrongdoing.

## DESTINATION UNKNOWN.

Sebastopol, April 23.—The active squadron of the Russian Black sea fleet under the command of Admiral Bostrom, put to sea today. The destination of the vessels is not known.

## WHEAT MARKET CAUSED SUICIDE.

Denver, Colo., April 23.—A suicide due to the recent wheat and flour conditions resulted in Denver today. An unknown German, apparently 50 years old, ended his life by throwing himself under the wheels of a street car at 15th street and Cleveland place. Clippings from Chicago papers but a few days old were found in his pockets all of them containing articles on the wheat and flour market. The initials in his coat were "H. H."

Chicago, April 3.—John Niedstad, whose card was found on the person of the Denver suicide is the keeper of a saloon. He could not, from the description given, recognize in the suicide any of his friends or customers.

## GIRL ALIGHTED BEFORE HIS AUTO.

Milwaukee, April 23.—Col. Gustave Pabst, while driving an automobile today, accidentally ran down and killed Lillie Winkler, aged 15. The girl had just alighted from a street car when she stepped in front of the automobile.

## PETER TAGGED

## AS AN EXHIBIT MAY BE SHOWN TO JURY

To Prove Contention of Defense That He is Crazy.

## HIS ATTORNEYS MAKE STATEMENT

That Hains Has No Comprehension of What is Going On

Or That He Is Playing Such An Important Part in a Tragedy.

Flushing, N. Y., April 23.—Captain Peter Hains, Jr., may be put on the witness stand by the defense in his trial for the killing of William E. Annis, for the express purpose of revealing to the jury his mental condition. Announcement of such a possibility was made by attorneys for the defense today, prior to the opening of the trial before Justice Garretson in the supreme court here. Captain Hains could be called, it was said, before any insanity experts were put on the stand as it might be deemed expedient to give the jurymen an opportunity for them to form their opinions of the defendant's condition from personal observation of his conduct under examination as a witness.

The prisoner's lawyers declare that he has no intelligent comprehension of the nature of the proceedings in which he is playing such an important part and John F. McIntyre, for the defense said if he found difficulty in inducing Captain Hains to take the stand he might even place him in evidence as an exhibit in the case, tagged and identified as such on the court record, like any other exhibit.

With seven jurors in the jury box the work of selecting the other five men was resumed when court opened today.

## SUPERIOR LAKE TRAFFIC OPEN.

Ashland, Wis., April 23.—Navigation on the south shore of Lake Superior was opened today by the arrival of the steamer Charles O. Jenkins at Ashland. The Jenkins cleared from Fort Williams yesterday and is the first vessel to cross Lake Superior this spring. There is still considerable ice.

## FORTY-FIVE ROUNDS.

Chicago, April 23.—Hugo Kelly and Billy Papke, who are matched to appear at Colma, May 15 will battle 45 rounds instead of twenty, as was originally scheduled. The arrangement was made by telegraph today.

## READING OF TARIFF

Bill in Senate Brought Out Many Requests for Pajamas

## OVER OF VARIOUS BITS OF SCHEDULE

By Senators Who Hope to Secure Several Pet Amendments.

Washington, April 23.—The reading of the tariff bill being resumed in the senate today numerous requests were made by the republicans and democrats for the passing over of various schedules although an agreement had previously been made that such action was not necessary to permit the senator to make a vote on any amendment. Nearly every senator both in the majority and minority parties was in his place and every one followed the reading of the bill with interest.

Senators McCumber and Simmons suggested that the lumber schedule be passed over and Senator Beveridge made the same request in respect to the tobacco schedules. The suggestions of various senators indicated that more than half of the rates on wood, sugar and molasses, tobacco and other schedules would come in for criticism at a later date.

## HARGIS TRIAL MUST PROCEED.

Irvine, Ky., April 23.—In the trial of Beach Hargis today Judge Adams overruled another motion of the defense for a continuance and ordered that the trial proceed. The jury was accepted by both sides.

A Floyd Hird, who was employed to aid the prosecution by a subscription of the citizens of Hirdson made the opening speech for the state.



RECALLED BY DEATH  
OF FORMER U. S.  
SENATOR

Stewart, of Nevada, Follow-  
ing an Operation in  
Washington.

FOR HALF CENTURY  
HE WAS FAMILIAR

Figure on Streets of Capitol  
Where He Had Many  
Interests.  
Represented His State for  
Twenty Eight Years  
in Senate.

Washington, April 23.—Former United States Senator William M. Stewart, of Nevada, died at the Georgetown hospital here today following an operation. The body will be taken to Nevada Sunday.

Mr. Stewart had been in the hospital since March 30th. On March 31st he underwent an operation the nature of which the physicians have not made public. About a week ago his condition became worse and he was taken to the hospital. He passed away at 7:05 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Stewart was 82 years old and had been a familiar figure in this city during the better part of the last half century. For 28 years continuously he represented Nevada in the senate, a large number of his terms being spent in the city of Washington.

His political career began in 1853 when he was elected to the Nevada legislature. He served in the legislature for several years and then was elected to the United States senate in 1875. He served in the senate for 28 years, representing Nevada.

Mr. Stewart was a prominent figure in the political life of Nevada and the West. He was a member of the Nevada bar and was known for his eloquence and ability. He was also a member of the United States senate for 28 years.

He was born in Scotland and came to America in 1840. He was a member of the Nevada bar and was known for his eloquence and ability. He was also a member of the United States senate for 28 years.

Almost all of the old residents of Washington and many of the new knew Mr. Stewart either personally or by sight. For his tall figure, topped with a wide-brimmed hat and his long white beard and his complexion as clear as a youth's were conspicuous on the streets of the city.

From the advertisement stand-  
point, one newspaper in the  
city is worth a dozen on the  
highway.

CITY TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The Lima City Teachers' Exam-  
ination will be held in the Assembly  
Room of the High school building,  
on Saturday, May 1st, 1909, begin-  
ning at 8 a. m.

JOHN DAVISON, Clerk.  
April 20-21-22-23-24.

ASTORIA  
The Best in the West  
C. E. & D. BROWNINGS

Clackamas and Western \$1.50.  
Tickets good on trains leaving  
Lima at 7:00 a. m. and 5:35 a. m.  
Returning on trains leaving Clack-  
amas at 5:00 p. m. and 3:30 p. m.

Clackamas vs. Pittsburg  
Tickets good on trains leaving  
Lima at 7:00 a. m. and 5:35 a. m.  
Returning on trains leaving Toledo at  
4:00 p. m. and 3:00 p. m.

M. L. WOLFE, Ticket Agent.  
J. C. WINANS, T. P. A.  
Lima, Ohio.

RICH OIL STRIKE  
Ahead of Developments in  
Illinois.

Mr. Ward Lester and Mr. Arthur  
Lester are in receipt of messages  
from them that an oil well of the  
Lester type has been drilled in on a  
tract of about 100 acres situated  
about 10 miles from the town of  
Lester, in Rich Township, Illinois.

The Lester, during the morning,  
was telephoning asking him to see  
him at his home, and other mes-  
sages from parties interested with  
the Lester type of oil well. He will  
be in the Lester type of oil well.

The new development  
about the Lester type of oil well  
is the Lester type of oil well.

On March 23rd, a young man  
named M. W. A. will  
be a banquet and social, prepar-  
ing to taking in a large class of can-  
didates on June 7th. Great prepa-  
rations are being made for the June  
banquet. Special prizes to be given  
to members who assist in the class  
on June 7th. Come out and see  
the details. Plenty of refresh-  
ments.

KIDNAPING DOVELOTION  
IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA  
NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

A NOVEL INTRODUCTION.

The Dr. Howard Company have  
introduced into the market with  
Wm. M. Melville's drug store, a  
which a special introductory offer  
will be made of 25 cents on the 50  
cent size of their celebrated specific  
for the cure of constipation and dys-  
pepsia.

So remarkably successful has Dr.  
Howard's specific been in curing con-  
stipation, dyspepsia and all forms of  
liver trouble, that Wm. Melville will  
return the price paid in every case  
where it does not give relief.

Wm. M. Melville has been able to  
secure only a limited supply, so every  
one who wishes to be cured of  
dyspepsia or constipation should call  
upon him at once or send him 25c  
by mail, and get 50 doses of the best  
medicine ever made, on this special  
half price introductory offer, with  
his personal guarantee to refund the  
money if the specific does not cure.  
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ON ASSAULT CHARGE

James Patton Arrested  
Thursday Entered Plea  
of Guilty.

TRIAL PROCEEDS  
IN MAYOR'S COURT.

Court Overruled Motions  
Challenging Validity  
of Ordinances.

James Patton was arrested Thurs-  
day afternoon on the charge of as-  
sault filed by Harry Hama, night  
watchman at the C. M. & D. shops.  
Patton appeared in police court  
Thursday morning and stated that  
about ten o'clock Wednesday night  
he discovered two men trying to steal  
brass at the railroad shops, and start-  
ed after them to stop their game,  
and that a few moments later Patton  
passed him and struck at his head,  
but he dodged and the blow landed  
on his shoulder. He claims that  
Patton struck at him with a black  
jack billy.

Patton entered a plea of guilty  
when arraigned, and sentence was  
deferred.

Jury Case.  
In the case of the City of Lima vs.  
Mrs. C. L. Simon, the court over-  
ruled the motions filed by the de-  
fense challenging the validity of the  
ordinance under which the case was  
brought. The attorney then began  
the work of empanelling a jury and  
it was necessary to issue a special  
venue. It is probable that the trial  
will begin late this evening.

Five and Costs.  
Richard Holland was arrested  
Wednesday night on the charge of  
drunkenness. He entered a plea of  
not guilty when arraigned Thursday  
morning and the case was set for  
trial Friday morning. In the mean-  
time he was released on bond, but  
couldn't stand the pressure and was  
again arrested Thursday night. When  
arraigned Friday morning he entered  
a plea of guilty and was assessed  
\$5 and costs.

Wood's Liver Medicine is a liver  
regulator which brings quick relief  
to sick headache, constipation, bil-  
iousness and other symptoms of liver  
disorders. Particularly recom-  
mended for Jaundice, Chills, Fever,  
Malaria. The \$1.00 size contains  
2 1/2 times as much as the 50c size.  
Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m

BAKED GOODS SALE

Saturday, April 24th, at Hoover-  
Rough furniture store, by girls of 1st  
Baptist church.

HOW TO WIN AT POKER.

St. Louis Republic.)  
It is not often an outsider can get  
the better of those worldly-wise  
travellers of the road—commercial  
travellers—but there is a party of  
them at the Planters' Hotel who are  
carefully reflecting upon the ways of  
foresight when guided by a mind not  
over-credulous. Incidentally they  
are all anxiously awaiting the ar-  
rival of funds, for which they have  
telegraphed their firms.

These men meet frequently, and  
all represent Chicago firms. Their  
lines are such that they are often  
compelled to wait over in the same  
town for several days and that is  
what occurred in Kansas City. They  
were all staying at the same hotel,  
and when they became acquainted  
with an inoffensive-appearing young  
man, they all agreed to play a game  
of cards, and "little thought what  
an influence he was to have upon  
their lives."

He told them his father was a  
wealthy mine owner in the West,  
and explained that he was wearing  
heavy blue glasses because of his  
weak eyes, which brought him to  
Kansas City for treatment. He had  
plenty of money, spent it a little too  
freely, and sometimes was a trifle  
diffident with reference to his ability  
to draw on his father for more.

It was this latter fact that led his  
new friends to accept his suggestion  
that a quiet little game of poker in  
the room of one of the members of  
the party would not be amiss. The  
affair was quickly arranged, and  
after a few hours' play the young  
man announced he had lost all the  
money he had with him. He said he  
would have a large sum the next  
day and would continue the game  
that evening.

Promptly on the hour the "vic-  
tim" appeared, wearing the blue  
glasses, which, he said, protected  
his eyes from the brilliance of the  
electric light. He proposed that the  
game be changed from draw to stud  
poker.

The traveling men saw no reason  
to object to the change. At first the  
young man lost steadily, but after a  
few minutes he began to win, and in  
the course of an hour had won back  
all that he had lost the previous  
night. In another hour he had most  
of his opponents bringing up the re-  
serve roll.

As the game progressed, one of

NEWSON-BOND CO.



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Exactly One Hundred Cloth Suits at  
Price Reductions Flashing Economy.

This clearance sale must be quick and complete—if phenomenal reductions—immense savings on  
stylish Spring Suits count for anything these values will be snapped up immediately.

The styles reflect the season's latest fashion ideas—the materials are matchless in  
quality and the color range is very broad.

The superior tailoring—the materials—all—make these suits good all the way  
through, shape retaining up to the last day's wear.

For a quick clearance the prices are severely sacrificed—cut deep—this is your suit opportunity—  
read the values.

LOT 1.—Suits selling regularly  
from \$15.00 to \$18.00, now—

\$12.75.

LOT 2.—Suits selling regularly  
from \$18.00 to \$25.00 now—

\$16.75.

LOT 3.—Suits selling regularly  
from \$25.00 to \$35.00, now—

\$19.75.

Dainty Wash Suits—Perfectly  
Tailored—Advance Showing

This striking display of beautiful  
Wash Suits in Repp, Union Linen  
and Linen showing the correct ad-  
vance styles as conceived by fashion  
for Spring and Summer, 1909.

These Suits are modishly built  
from Linen, Repp and Union  
Linen in a very large range of  
colors.

The showing is most attractive in  
every way—the style diversity—the  
broad color range of this well select-  
ed line, make the sale of unusual im-  
portance.

You will note the extreme low  
prices and the high standard of  
excellence.  
Prices \$5.00 to \$10.00.

Sale of Elegant Lingerie  
Waists \$2.75.

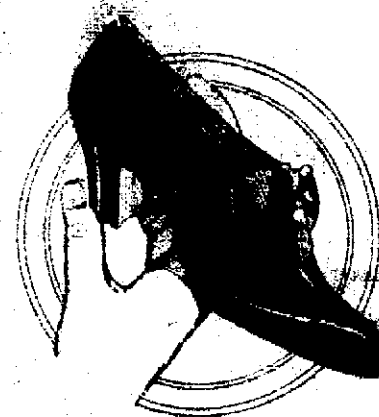
Waist perfection is reached in this showing of ele-  
gant Lingerie Waists. Our buyers were fortunate this  
season in many respects, gathering approved and ex-  
ceptionally pretty styles at prices marvelously low.

The new sleeves, the new collars and other new style  
effects make this display of more than ordinary in-  
terest.

This store's reputation for its excellence in waist  
values is surpassed in this sale. See the new styles.

Prices \$2.75 to \$5.

Women's Dainty Oxfords Upwards \$1.95



The display of women's oxfords is now  
complete in every way. This showing is large-  
er—the style-range greater than we have ever  
shown before.

Oxfords of shapeliness, snappy style fea-  
tures to distinguish them from the com-  
mon run of oxfords. The display is sure  
to please you.

Shoe satisfaction—style, quality and com-  
fort—and a goodly saving in price go with  
our shoes.

The Price Range  
\$1.95, \$2.50, \$3.00.

Unusual Advance Sale  
of Lingerie Dresses.  
Elegant Styles are  
Displayed.

Dainty, cool, summery in ap-  
pearance this sale of Lingerie  
Dresses, offers shoppers the most  
unusual buying opportunity of the  
season.

The ideas, the very effective  
styles for summer, are quite  
uncommon in this display.  
Style effects, captivating to  
the style loving women are  
shown. The values are quite  
irresistible.

The sale is attractive in every  
way—the broad range of styles  
—the extremely low prices—all  
make this a sale of unusual im-  
portance.

The following special sale  
prices will show you the sav-  
ing to be made here.  
\$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00.



We also call special attention to  
one particular number of Lingerie  
Dress, which is shown in pink and  
blue and white materials which we  
offer for advance buyers at \$2.50.

Aluminum Ware--The Prime Requisite for a Clean and Attractive Kitchen

We desire to impress on our customers that we carry a full line of all styles of Aluminum cook-  
ing utensils in this department. The following prices are offered on these and other items:

Special sale of Aluminum Ware at special prices. Kitchen utensils are generally costly at  
any prices. Many are inferior in quality. Overcome this fact by purchasing aluminum ware  
and save money at the same time.

Pure Aluminum Table Spoons, 10c each.	Pure Aluminum Stew Pans, 4 qt., 90c.	Pure Aluminum Rice Boilers, with aluminum lid, 3 qt., \$2.00.
Pure Aluminum Stew Pans, 2 qt., 80c.	Pure Aluminum Rice Boilers with aluminum lids, 2 qt., \$1.25.	Pure Aluminum Tea Kettles in 3 sizes, \$2.75, \$3 and \$4.25.
Pure Aluminum Stew Pans, 3 qt., 75c.	Pure Aluminum Rice Boilers, with aluminum lid, 3 qt., \$1.50.	Pure Aluminum Pie Pans in 2 sizes, 10c and 25c.

Ruffled Swiss Curtains at Bargain Prices.

If you care to save on your Curtain purchases for  
Spring—if you want to secure the prettiest patterns  
—if you want the newest ideas in Ruffled Swiss  
Curtains—make Newson-Bond a visit.

A fortunate purchase enables us to offer a large  
lot of ruffled Swiss Curtains at saving prices.

Three Prices—Special the Pair  
49c, 69c and 89c.



Newson-Bond Co.

AMERICAN CAVIARE.

Persons with epicurean tastes will  
be interested to know that the pro-  
duction of real "Russian" caviare is  
likely to be resumed at Philadelphia  
and other points along the Delaware  
river. It may come as a shock to  
some of them to learn that the ca-  
viare sandwiches for which they have  
paid swollen prices in American res-  
taurants originated as to their cen-  
tral ingredient in streams and lakes  
in this country where sturgeon do  
most abound. The fact is not known,  
however. Nor could it be when it is  
recalled that the industry has been  
rather extensive in this country.

In several of the western states a  
business is made of catching the  
sturgeon, extracting the roe and ship-  
ping it to Russia, where it is treated  
and imported to the United States  
ready for the table. For many years  
this industry thrived at Sandusky, O.,  
the Lake Erie sturgeon having been  
supplied in thousands for the purpose.

Up to 1890 the Delaware river fur-  
nished large quantities of sturgeon  
for exportation. But the fisher-  
men, virtually exterminated this  
species of fish in their greed, and a  
Delaware river sturgeon eight to ten  
feet in length is now said to be worth  
from \$100 to \$150. However, a  
means has been found to re-stock the  
river, and the industry will probably  
be revived.

The question arises why the Amer-  
ican people should be imposed on by  
a so-called imported article of diet at  
such a price. American skill and en-  
durance is equal to the manufacture of  
caviare which will surpass the Bohemian Magazine.

that which come from Russia. Doubt-  
less this would be accepted as fact  
were it not for the person of faded  
appetite who labors under the curious  
and perverted notion that his special  
dishes must be prepared by foreign  
masters of the art culinary.—Pitts-  
burg Post.

USE OF SNUFF.

Speaking of snuff, it is invariably  
surprising to the laymen delving in  
tobacco to find that the consumption  
of snuff, instead of dying out, as is  
popularly supposed, is rapidly in-  
creasing. A half century ago there  
were only a few hundred thousand  
pounds of snuff produced in this  
country. Today snuff is being manu-  
factured and consumed in the Uni-  
ted States at the rate of about 23,500,  
000 pounds a year, and increasing at  
the rate of 1,000,000 pounds per  
annum.

The American Tobacco company,  
commonly known as the tobacco trust,  
has played an important role in the  
development of the tobacco industry.  
James Buchanan Duke, who heads  
the company, started thirty years  
ago with a little tobacco shop down  
in North Carolina, which he operat-  
ed in company with his father and  
brother. Today his powerful corpo-  
ration has an absolute monopoly of  
the snuff industry, controls the plug  
and the leaf trade, has 80 per cent of  
the smoking tobacco and cigarette busi-  
ness and is cutting a swath in the  
tobacco industry which will surpass the Bohemian Magazine.

WHAT DID YOU VOTE FOR?

You voted at the last election.  
What did you vote for? Did you  
vote to have the price of your tea  
and coffee increased? Did you vote  
to have your gloves and your wife's  
gloves and your mother's gloves and  
your daughter's gloves cost you  
more? Did you vote to have house-  
hold cost more? Did the platform of  
the successful party declare in favor of  
any one of these things? If it had  
would you have voted for it?

Candidly, now, did you really im-  
agine you were voting for such un-  
just taxation as the Payne bill im-  
plements? You know you did not.  
We ask you, then, if in a free coun-  
try of general enlightenment, of free  
public schools and newspapers of im-  
mense circulation, you ought not to  
have found out what you were vot-  
ing for?

But if you did know what you  
were voting for and you did not vote  
for those enormous taxes, and no  
one asked you to vote for them, were  
you not deceived, or, to use that apt  
but unclassical word, "bamboozled?"

Again, let us ask you what is the  
value of representative government,  
government by party, and platform  
rivalry. If, after you have voted for  
taxes the tea and gloves and history  
of the plain people, and removed the  
tax from certain high-price jewels—  
Now do not imagine we are pos-  
simitist. We are not. But is it not  
about time that real issues are dis-  
cussed in political campaigns, so that  
people may know what they are vot-  
ing for? You know for whom you

FAUROT NEXT  
WEEK

Commencing Monday Matinee

THE  
MANHATTAN  
STOCK CO.

In Scenic Productions of Popu-  
lar Plays.

DAILY MATINEES 10c.  
Any Body. Any Seat.  
NIGHTS—10c, 20c, 30c.  
Next Sale Saturday.

vote, or can find out if you wish to.  
Why should you not know for what  
you vote? Think it over. Talk it  
over with your fellow-citizens.

The voice of experience will tell  
you, in tones loud enough for any  
one to hear, that it is the duty of a  
self-governing people to exercise  
the same discretion in voting that a  
man of sound business principles ex-  
ercises in the conduct of his mercan-  
tile or commercial affairs.—Boston  
Globe.

ASTORIA  
The Best in the West  
C. E. & D. BROWNINGS



# BIG BATTLE OF BALLOTS IS GOING SPIRITEDLY ON.

Each Succeeding Day Sees Interest in the Great Tour-of-Europe Contest Mount Higher and Higher.

Only a Question Who Will Win and That Question Clearly Up to the Public. Are You Active in Your Interest? Are You Supporting Your Candidate?

We are, and have been for some time, living in a commercial age. The age of accomplishments and of big things. The small or ordinary affairs with which our forefathers contented themselves with doing are no longer of interest to us, and what to them were gigantic affairs are now left to the office boy or an underpaid clerk. We are living in the age of big results and these results are accomplished in a short space of time. As the days fly by the contest department of the Times-Democrat can notice the increasing interest on the part of the public and candidates, and it is no wonder that such is the case, when we stop to think what it means to these young ladies, who, like soldiers, are untiring for this prize, a tour of the old country, a visit to France, Scotland and then to England, why such a prize should be of interest to everybody.

The contest manager is being asked every day who the lucky young ladies are going to be and each day his answer is "I cannot tell." He knows no more about the possible winners than do the public. Each candidate has a different method of working and the results of her efforts can only be told when the final count of ballots is made.

To date the struggle has been a clean cut one and the friendly rivalry that has been in evidence between the candidates and their friends has aroused the interest of

the entire community. The candidates in their efforts to secure votes in order to become the winner have conducted a campaign that would cause the blush of shame to mount the noble brow of the majority of politicians who had political aspirations. Yet the dignified manner in which their campaign has been conducted is characteristic of the high character of the ladies competing. This contest, unlike others, is self-supporting, and every penny that is paid in during the contest on which votes are issued, value received as given in the past of the world, and when at the final ending of the friendly struggle for supremacy the four ladies who are so fortunate as to stand first in each district, and who by the judges, are awarded membership in the personally conducted tour, can say with perfect truthfulness, "I am successful as a result of my own efforts and my standing with my friends."

One of the features of the contest which is full of special significance at this time is the confidence the friends and supporters are showing in the outcome of the race of their friends for membership in the tour. This may be taken as an indication of the fact that the various candidates are amassing a reserve vote which are considered sufficiently large to enable them to head their district by storm at the final close.

No candidate who wishes to win out at the final should place too much confidence in the reserve strength that she has secured. It should be remembered that while one candidate is piling up a good reserve, the other candidates with equal cleverness are doing likewise. Every candidate will need every subscription that can be secured.

From now on numerical strength will count for little against united support, and some of the candidates lower down on the lists are already feeling the latter in most effective form. How far this will carry the contest remains to be seen, but the opinion may be safely ventured that the contestants from lower down the lists and not of town districts will pole a vote which will be a distinct surprise to many of those who feel their candidates numerically stronger. Organization combined with generalship and energetic efforts are the qualities which may be safely relied upon to prove the decisive factors in determining the winners at the finish.

## DEGREE IN DIVORCE

Bought by Mrs. Nancy Jameson Who Filed Her Suit Today.

### DIVORCE GRANTED IN ANOTHER ONE.

Bunnell Identified as Man Seen Coming From Musser Barn.

Mrs. Nancy Jameson, of Spencer, as filed suit for divorce from her husband, Robert S., in which the petition states that they were married at Titusville, Pa., January 1, 1876 and that the children born to the union are now all adults. She states that she is the owner of a part of outlot 20 in the village of Spencer.

She alleges that the defendant has been guilty of extreme cruelty in accusing her of unchastity in the presence of her children, and that he frequently threatened to strike her. She charges further that he is guilty of gross neglect of duty and has failed to provide for her since July 3, 1908. She states that she was ill and taken to the Lima hospital during the months of March and April, 1908, and that the defendant failed to visit her or provide anything for her care and comfort.

The charges that he abandoned her in December, 1907, and has remained away from her with the exception of 10 days in May, 1908. She asks for a decree and that the defendant be barred from any power interest in the Spencer property.

Decree Granted. Judge Klinger granted a decree of divorce to the plaintiff in the case of Mary Kachenmeister vs. John, on the grounds of habitual drunkenness and extreme cruelty. She was awarded the custody of the children.

Partition Suit. William A. Herber, has filed suit in partition against Anna Gorwood, et al., heirs of Mary E. Herber, involving the disposition of a lot in Delphos.

Identified. Mr. A. R. Manhard visited the county jail this morning by request of the prosecuting attorney to determine if he could identify any of the prisoners as the man he saw coming from the Musser barn, a few moments before the fire was discovered. After looking over the prisoners he promptly picked out Bunnell as the man.

Bunnell denies the story told to Deputy Sheriff Bowersock just previous to his arrest and claims that he was too drunk to know what he was talking about. However, the fight he put up when arrested indicates that he was not in the condition he claims.

### COATED WHITE METAL WITH GOLD.

Chicago, Ill., April 23.—James E. Kelly, suspected by the police of being a confederate of Theodore McDuck, who is in custody at Milwaukee on a charge of counterfeiting, was arrested here today.

Kelly and McDuck are alleged to have made spurious five and ten dollar gold pieces out of white metal plated with gold.

The Bed-rock of Success lies in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and restless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills impart. They vitalize every organ and build up brain and body. J. A. Harmon, Lismore, W. Va., writes: "They are the best pills I ever used." 25c at H. P. Vorkamp's drug store.

### GAMES POSTPONED.

Philadelphia, April 23.—(National) Boston-Philadelphia game postponed—rain.

Scrub yourself daily, you're not clean inside. This means clean stomach, bowels, blood, liver, clean healthy tissues in every organ. Moral: Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. F. Vorkamp, druggist.

### FOUND PURSE WITH REAL MONEY.

Logansport, Ind., April 23.—A purse containing \$2,000 in bills and negotiable security was found in the gutter on April 1 by Dr. William De Hart, and constant advertising has failed to locate any claimant. The pocketbook was kicked around the streets by many who thought it an April fool joke. De Hart believes the purse fell from an automobile that passed through this city from Chicago.

## FATHER JOHN'S MEDICINE

is a tonic and body builder. Nourishes the blood, makes strength and has a gentle, laxative effect without weakening. Drives all impurities out of the system. Guaranteed.

# Special Suit Sale Now on.

This season has produced in effect one of the most artistic lines of ladies' suits ever before shown in the long hipless models in graceful lines and cutaways made up in fine Serges, Panamas and Fancy Worsteds in plain and striped materials. A most graceful line offered at special prices for Saturday. They come in all the popular colorings, priced for this sale at

## \$11.75, \$15 and \$18

Take advantage of this great Suit selling event and save money.

Ladies line Covert and Cloth Jackets, self-trimmed and braided, made up on graceful lines and are being offered here at \$4.50, \$5, \$6.50, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$18 and up to \$23.75.

The showing of separate Skirts was never more complete. The latest models shown are here at \$3.60, \$5, \$6.50, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$11.50, \$12, \$12.50, \$15, \$16.50, \$17, \$18 and up. They come in blacks and colors.



Special Linen Waist, same as shown here, regular \$1. \$1.25 and up to \$1.50 values at 50c. A better and more elaborate line, worth \$2.50 up to \$3.50 for \$1.10.



We are sole selling agents in Lima for the famous Nemo Corset. They are made for all figures in batiste or coutil, prices \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$3 and up. The most popular corset made. Other popular brands sold here.

The greatest assortment of high class dress goods in Northwestern Ohio to select from. All the new weaves and colorings are shown in this line, priced from 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and up. They come in plain materials and stripes in blues, browns, greens, grays, taupe, wistarias, and blacks. Come inspect this line.

We are agents for the Assurety Black Taffeta and also the gold standard, the best black silk values in Northwestern Ohio. The Assurety at \$1.00 and Gold Standard at \$1.19 per yard.

A fine showing of plain and striped Messalines, Rough Silks, Tulle Silks, Shantung and Jap Silks are here in all the newest colorings, all at popular prices.

### ATTEND SUIT SALE SATURDAY--SPECIAL VALUES.

## R. T. GREGG & CO.

WARWICK CASTLE, LONDON, TO BE VISITED BY OUR GUESTS.

#### DISTRICT NO. 1.

MISS MAY SHULER, 713 East North Street	5117
MISS KATHRYN O'BRIEN, East North Street	3657
MISS HAZEL ACKERLY, 819 West Wayne Street	3652
MISS GLADIA ROBBINS, 514 North Jefferson Street	2869
MISS CRITE SHULEL, East McKibben Street	1290
MISS BERTHA LANG, 123 North McDonald Street	1000
MISS ELENOR BELL, 211 1/2 North Main Street	910
MISS MARIE CLARKSON, 327 North Jackson Street	840
MISS HELEN KELLER, 913 East High Street	650

#### DISTRICT NO. 2.

MISS RACHAEL WICKERSHAM, 632 South Main Street	5066
MISS BLANCH PHILLIPS, 706 East Kibby Street	3652
MISS CORA VAN BORN, 218 1/2 Scott Main Street	3638
MISS AMANDA STEVEN, 1127 Forest Avenue	3554
MISS EDITH MARSHALL, 534 West Kibby Street	3175
MISS DESSIE BOORE, 529 McPherson Avenue	1830
MISS FRANCIS ROBERTS, 830 West Spring Street	1520
MISS ANNA ROGIE, 1018 East High Street	970
MISS HAZEL MCARD, 418 South Jackson Street	910
MISS ELIZABETH FITZSIMMONS, 414 South Pine Street	690
MISS HELEN RAMBO, 719 Madison Avenue	740
MISS CORINE MYERS, 734 South Broadway	560

#### DISTRICT NO. 3.

MRS. WM. BURDEN, Beaverdam	2533
MISS MARIE KENNEY, Beaverdam	1940
MISS FLORA PLATTNER, Bluffton	1920
MISS CECIL CREPS, Westminster	1470
MISS GRACE FETTERS, West Cairo	1460
MISS BERNICE CORE, Westminster	1810
MISS ORAL MCCARTY, Harrod	1200
MISS LINDA AMSTUTZ, R. F. D. No. 2, Bluffton	1140
MISS LIA TEMPLE, Bluffton	1130
MISS ALICE STONER, R. F. D. No. 2, Beaverdam	830
MISS CLARA EARLY, West Cairo	810
MISS LIA PRATER, Lafayette	750
MISS GRINDALE SMITH, Lafayette	700
MISS ZOE BENTLY, Bluffton	690
MISS DORA STOOT, Beaverdam, R. F. D. No. 1	570
MISS VAUGHN MUMMA, Lafayette	570

#### DISTRICT NO. 4.

MISS ZOE CRITES, Elida	2377
MISS NANCY OEHLE, Spencerville	2030
MISS FAY JOHN, Elida	2000
MISS LEOA REICHELDERFER, Cridersville	1900
MISS BESSIE BARTHAUER, Cridersville	1840
MISS LUCILE FORD, R. F. D. No. 6, Delphos	1010
MISS ZELVA COUNSELLOR, R. F. D. No. 1, Elida	910
MISS HAZEL KOLLSMITH, Delphos	900
MISS EDNA WHEELER, Backland	790
MISS PEARL LEWIS, Delphos R. F. D. No. 1	780
MISS EVA ROUGHY, Backland	700
MISS JOHN JAMESON, Spencerville	690
MISS MARGARET WATSON, Spencerville	660

Ex-Official Dental. Contract had said "You must not talk." Caution has said "Only what you dictate at \$1 a word will be announced." Memory said "But didn't you talk?" In the end memory yielded gracefully and it was denounced as an unimpaired French fabrication. — New York Sun.

#### OBJECTS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

"Those flashy Van Punks have moved. Do you know where they went?" "That's the very thing their unhappy landlord asked me." — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### BLAST STARTED SEVERAL BERGS.

Youngstown, N. Y., April 23.—Blasting with dynamite to clear the channel of the lower stretch of Niagara from ice, which for nearly a week has threatened destruction to industrial plants and other property for nearly twenty miles, was resumed early today. The first charge of 200 pounds started several small ice bergs moving off into the lake.

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking any thing but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung trouble. Do not be fooled into accepting "copy make" or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

### DON'T READ THIS!

But see the "Orange Grower's Daughter" at the Royal Theater.

Golden Gate Rebekahs are requested to meet at the corner of Main and Wayne streets, Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock to attend the funeral of Bro. John Ballard in a body. By order of N. G.

Best Treatment for Colds. "Most ordinary colds will yield to the simplest treatment," says the Chicago Tribune, "moderate luxuries, hot foot baths, a free perspiration and an avoidance of exposure to cold and wet are for treatment." While this treatment is simple, it requires considerable trouble, and the one adopting it must remain in doors for a day or two or a fresh cold is almost sure to be contracted, and in many instances pneumonia follows. It is not better to pin your faith to an old reliable preparation like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, that is famous for its cures of colds and can always be depended upon? For sale by all druggists.

### TO CALIFORNIA AND MEXICO VIA NEW ORLEANS.

The Southern Route, being free from snow, ice and frosts, makes a most delightful trip for tourists and others from the North. The Southern Pacific Co. Sunset Express with Dining Cars—Service unexcelled. Standard Pullmans and Chair Cars leave New Orleans daily for Texas, Mexico and California, also through Tourist sleeper for Los Angeles-San Francisco, leaves Cincinnati every Tuesday evening. Winter tourist's tickets now on sale. For particulars call or write W. H. CONNOR, General Agent, 32 E. 4th St. Cincinnati, Ohio. Jan 26-tu-th-sat-t

FRANK. For Peter's appetite try baking powder biscuits made of Gold Medal Flour. — Times

### WIRELESS TELEPHONES.

Favorable conditions attend the opening at Portland, Me., of the first wireless telephone system on a commercial basis. The islands of Casco Bay, with all of which the city is to be connected eventually, are fairly close together and present practically one level. There will be clear courses from point to point for the voice impulses. Is the wireless method of communication one that can ever rise above these helpful circumstances of the unobstructed air route?

Certainly there exist today effective obstacles to the application to such needs, say, as those of Manhattan, of the system which at its inauguration on Saturday was found to work so well at Portland. What wireless scheme is to overcome here the difficulties presented by the greatly varied heights and depths of buildings and by the interposition in all directions of massively solid walls of iron and stone?

Compared with the task of adapting the wireless telephone to general use in a city like this, the fact of tuning the instruments for secrecy, said to have been successfully accomplished at Portland, seems like simplicity itself. Yet we have to remember that the establishment in Maine is at least a beginning, and that beginnings are what all inventions and extensions have to go through. The ordinary telephone in its commercial application has not yet outspanned a generation; the long-distance service, a tremendous development, has become possible within the lifetime of men now barely out of college.

Once it was to laugh, but now it is to marvel at the idea of a voice traveling a thousand miles by wire. And the world knew much more about wire 30 years ago than it will know about other waves for some time to come. — New York World.

DO YOU WANT a large Leather Rucker. Now is your opportunity to get one cheap. We have six in our show window. HOW much will you give for choice F. E. HARMAN.

### AS IT HAPPENED.

Maud Muller, on a summer's day, Put up a bluff at raking hay; But on the high road kept an eye, In case a Judge came riding by.

And, sure enough, a Judge did pass At forty miles an hour, alas! It gave to romance quite a jar— The modern honk-honk touring car.

An Agitated Family. The prospect of having to wear patched stockings agitates the whole family. — Pittsburgh Gazette, 1910.

### VOTING BALLOT.

Counting One Vote.

For Miss or Mrs. ....

Address .....

District Number .....

In the Times-Democrat Tour-of-Europe Contest, subject to conditions governing contest.

Ballots to be counted must be cut out, carefully trimmed around border and deposited unfolded.

This Ballot Void April 30th.

Use this ballot to nominate and vote for a friend in the Tour-of-Europe contest.

### TARIFF ON LEMONS.

The best lemons we get in this country come from Sicily. Those that come from Palermo are not notably excellent. If the lemon tax as provided by the Payne bill is to remain, however, we shall have to depend upon the California lemon almost exclusively. A writer in the New York Tribune says:

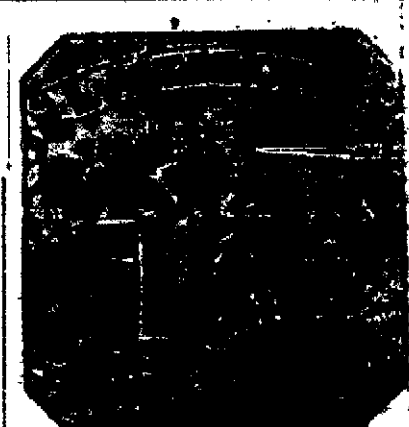
"The proposed duty, plus the freight, auction charges and incidental expenses, amounts to \$1.50 a box. Add to this 50 cents a box, as the minimum cost of packing, including empty boxes, paper, nails, labor, etc., plus 75 cents a box as the cost of producing the fruit, and the minimum cost of a box of lemons laid down at the port of New York is seen to be \$2.75. This would be the actual cost, leaving no profit for the grower, the shipper or the producer. In the last few years the average price realized at the auction sales is about \$2 a box."

California is not able to supply the demand for lemons, and its production will have to be largely increased before it can meet the demand. California lemons are excellent, and they need no protection beyond that afforded by the Dingley tariff. Lemons should not be taxed as a luxury. The lemon is a necessity. It is one of the best all-around medicines we have. It is a component of one of the best beverages we have. It is a necessity in cooking. — Nashville American

### LA FOLLETTE A DRV.

With Senator La Follette as the candidate for United States senator and State Senator S. M. Marsh, the author of the county option bill which failed of passage in the legislature, as the candidate for governor, the Wisconsin Anti-Saloon leaguers are planning a lively campaign in 1910. The platform of the drys will be

Said Under Name: "A soft answer turneth away wrath, but it won't a tough head against nor bill collector." — Los Angeles Express



That Exceptionally Good  
**Sc Segar**  
MADE IN LIMA.

SMOKED EVERYWHERE.

The Wm. Tigner's Son Co.  
MAKERS.

county option and a state wide campaign will be waged, with La Follette and Marsh as the heads of the ticket. There will be several candidates for the nomination for governor, the anti-La Follette men probably selecting some candidate who can hold the anti-prohibition Republicans.







One very interesting fact about a business like ours, where value for your money is the keystone, the one thing on which all rests, is that it naturally attracts all sorts of trade among those who consider value important.



The man who comes here to spend \$10, \$12 or \$15 for a Suit of Clothes gets just as great value in proportion as the man who spends \$18, \$20 or \$25. The difference in price represents a difference in quality of materials; but the value in one case is just as great as in the other.

Our great line of

## Hart Schaffner & Marx

Fine Clothes is a case of exceptional value-giving. At \$18, \$20, \$22, \$25, \$27, \$28, \$30 and \$35 we offer you Suits made exclusively for our trade by these greatest of clothes makers. The variety of fabrics, colors and patterns is amazing; all sizes and models, \$18 to \$35.

## BOYS' CLOTHING

When a boy reaches an age that permits him to wear the Double Breasted Bloomer Trouser Suits, he has some idea as to what he wants in color pattern and design. He is more or less of an authority on what's correct in boys wear. We will show him the kind of Clothes he will like at \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7 and \$8 the Suit.

We have Hats, Caps, Shirt Waists, Hosiery, Shoes, Collars, etc., for the boys also.

A complete new stock of Spring Shoes in all the latest fads for this season for men, women and children.

# Morris Bros.,

217 N. Main St.

MORRIS BLOCK.

Lima, Ohio.

## SENSATIONAL ARRESTS MADE THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Grand Jury Indicts Christian Geiger and John W. Beam.

ARE CHARGED WITH ROBBERY

In Connection With the Yoakum Case of Recent Occurrence.

At 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon the grand jury filed a special indictment which contained the joint indictment of Christian Geiger, the well known road and sidewalk contractor, and John W. Beam, the colored real estate dealer. The indictments charge robbery and it is claimed by the authorities that the defendants were connected with the Yoakum robbery for which Henderson, Martin and Dillon are now serving a term in the penitentiary after entering a plea of guilty to larceny.

The defendants were arrested about twenty minutes after the indictment was returned. Mr. Beam was found in his office in the Gale block on the public square, and Mr. Geiger on the street in the vicinity of Mr. Beam's office. The men were not placed in jail but were given an opportunity to procure bond, which they did, the bond being fixed in the case at \$1,000.

It was generally presumed that there would be some new developments in the Yoakum case, when Henderson, Martin and Dillon were brought from Columbus Thursday to appear before the grand jury, but the special report was a surprise, even to the members of the officials. The evidence procured in the investigation of the case which led to the indictment of the three men now in the penitentiary, developed the fact that there were several others implicated in the Yoakum robbery, and the authorities have been working along these lines. Upon beginning his term as common pleas Judge Kling appointed Hugh Patton as court clerk, and many wondered at the reason for adding the additional official to the county's force. Those who have been familiar with the detective work done in Lima and vicinity for the past ten years, by Mr. Patton, realized that he could render some assistance in such cases. In his connection he has been of great value to the prosecutor and officers.

The history of the Yoakum robbery is one of remarkable interest. On the night of January 10, masked

men entered the home of James Yoakum, in Shawnee township, and bound the occupants of the house to their beds. Mr. and Mrs. Yoakum are of advanced age and at the time their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sadders, were living with them. The robbers broke open a trunk and secured \$685 in cash, and after helping themselves to a lunch of milk and gingerbread, took their departure. The authorities were notified within an hour after the robbery took place, when Mr. Yoakum managed to get loose from the ropes binding her and sounded the dinner bell, which summoned their neighbors. Bloodhounds were secured from St. Marys in the morning, and the tracks of the robbers traced to the intersection of the D. T. & E. and Erie railroad tracks.

Conductor Carl Jacobs, of the Lima-Toledo line, heard of the robbery before leaving on his car at 6 o'clock in the morning, and noticed two men board his car at the State Hospital grounds, who appeared to have been out all night. He informed the dispatcher in this city and the marshal at Deshler was notified to watch the two men. Upon their arrival at Deshler the men left the car and after getting breakfast walked along the B. & O. tracks and entered a box car. Marshall Gray's assistant followed the men and when he saw the opportunity closed the car door and imprisoned the two men. With the assistance of a number of citizens the men were placed under arrest and later brought to this city. They registered as John Henderson and James Martin, and were given a preliminary hearing in mayor's court and bound over to the grand jury. About a month later Thomas Dillon was arrested at St. Marys in connection with the robbery, and after being indicted the cases were set for trial, but the men finally entered a plea of guilty to larceny, and were sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary.

A search of the box car at Deshler the day following the arrest disclosed \$535 of the money stolen, which was returned to Mr. Yoakum after the men were sentenced.

**A Surprise.**

The arrest of Mr. Geiger came as a surprise to the citizens of Lima, and in an interview Friday morning he stated that the case is one of blackmail, and that the citizens of Lima know him too well to think of his being implicated in such work.

He stated that he received the following letters which he produced to further his charge of blackmailing.

Lima, O., March 12, 1909.

Dear Sir:—You have been requested several times to come forward and help Martin and Henderson out with the amount demanded. Unless you do we intend to blow you and your home up.

From a member.

Receipt—March 13, 1909. Received

ed of Chris Geiger twenty-five dollars in full satisfaction towards defraying the expenses in defending Martin and Henderson we hereby relieve you from further molesting annoyance \$25.00 Thomas Sweeney.

Mr. Beam is a brother of Dr. U. S. Beam, and is a lawyer by profession, being a member of the Indiana bar. He denies any knowledge of the robbery, but stated that he has rendered legal services to both Mr. Geiger and the men who were arrested.

**History.**

On the night of November 25, 1905, the local police engaged in an encounter with a number of men at the house formerly occupied by the Moerlein bottling works, in an effort to capture Harry Slater, who was wanted for a safe blowing job in Indiana, and Detective Dan Kelly wounded one man, but he managed to get away. The following day Chief of Police Mills received an anonymous letter stating that if the authorities would visit the home of C. Geiger, on north West street, they would probably find the man wanted. Investigation developed that Slater had crawled to the Geiger home after being shot by Kelly, and was being attended there by a stranger. Dr. U. S. Beam was called to render medical attention. On Friday night of the week Slater succumbed to the effects of his wounds.

Later several other members of the Slater gang were arrested by the local police, and are now serving time.

At that time Mr. Geiger stated that a man appeared at his house and insisted upon seeing him, and while his daughter went to call him Slater was brought into the house.

**Have a Case.**

The officers now state that they have a good case against the defendants, and that it has taken most diligent work to secure the evidence at hand.

The city council will make no mistake if it will allow property owners to decide what street paving they want in front of their homes and holdings, especially when committees composed of intelligent and honorable men are chosen to investigate and report what they deem to be the best paving from an endurance and financial standpoint.

### SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Business Men of Lima and Vicinity.

The executive committee of the Fraternal Order of Eagles of Lima, Aerie No. 376, having charge of the F. O. E. state convention to be held in this city, June 1, 2, 3, 4, 1909, inclusive, will point out their own official program without holding up the merchants for their advertisements to fill up the book. Beware of impostors, as your ad, if given to any person or persons will not appear in the official program of this, one of the greatest events of the coming season.

Yours respectfully,  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,  
2-31-09 F. O. E., Lima 376.

Dr. J. E. Evans, dentist, has moved his office from Opera House block to Harper block, opposite Hotel North (west). April 19-09

# CARTER & CARROLL.

We enumerate in this advertisement a few of the many extraordinary attractive bargains for Saturday's shopping. We want you to visit our store and offer you these under-priced goods as an inducement.

### A Linen Torchon Lace Sale

2,000 yards Point Russé German linen torchon laces, with insertions to match, up to 4 inches wide, and worth up to 20¢ the yard. Used extensively for undermuslin trimming and lingerie dresses. Saturday's special sale price only 5¢ the yard.

### Special Sale Warner's Rust-Proof Corsets for Saturday Only.

As a very extraordinary trade magnet, we offer Warner's Rust-Proof Corsets, style 279, one of our popular sellers, high bust and long hips, best quality batiste, with two pairs Security Hose Supporters attached. Sizes 18 to 20. Saturday's special price only 75¢ the pair.

### Saturday Special on Waist Boxes.

Special for Saturday shoppers, we will offer hard maple wood shirt waist boxes, neatly upholstered with Japanese matting, brass hinges, brass handles and brass strap chains, worth \$2.25 to \$2.50. Our special sale price for Saturday only \$1.69.

### Bleached Table Linens, White Mercerized Waistings and Brown Muslin Bargains.

(Take elevator or stairway for Basement Section).

\$1.25 quality 72 in. wide pure white linen damask, extra fine finish and real double damask. Saturday's special price only \$1.00 the yard.

Size 23x23, \$4.00 linen napkins to match the above damask. Saturday's sale price only \$3.39 per dozen.

Ten pieces fine white figured mercerized 25¢ quality waistings. Special for Saturday only 15¢ yd.

### Drastic Mark Down of Women's Tailor Made Suits.

Not one single exception. Every Tailor-made Suit in our Suit Section is greatly reduced, including garments that formerly sold at \$15.00 to \$125.00. The object of this tremendous reduction, is to clean up the entire line of Women's Cloth Suits. This mark-down sale coming as it does in the heart of the season, affords a wonderful opportunity to purchase a Tailor-Made Suit at way under actual value.

Any reduction from our regular prices means a genuine bargain---No extra charge for alterations during this sale---This is a clean cut, legitimate reduction on women's cloth tailor made suits.

\$39 Women's tailor-made Suits. Reduced to \$29.75.

\$35 quality Women's Serge Suits. Reduced to \$27.50.

\$35 Women's self-striped tailor-made Suits. Reduced to \$27.50.

\$29.75 three-piece tailor-made Serge Suit. Reduced to \$27.50.

\$27.50 Women's self striped Serge Suit. Reduced to \$25.

\$32.50 three piece Tailor-made Serge suit. Reduced to \$27.50.

\$25 Women's black and colored Suits. Reduced to \$19.75.

\$22.50 Women's tailor-made Suits. Reduced to \$17.50.

\$19.75 Suits in all shades. Reduced to \$15.

\$15.00 Suits in all shades. Reduced to \$12.50.

We only print enough of our price reductions to give you a faint idea of the general underpricing on Women's Tailor-made Cloth Suits. We suggest that you personally inspect the wonderful values offered in our Suit Section.

With the determination to surpass all former mark-down sales on Women's Suits, we have gone through the stock very carefully and put our personal attention to the marking down of every Tailored Suit in the house. The values are so great and the prices so low you cannot help becoming an eager customer for a Tailored Suit from the best selected and finest range of distinctive styles shown anywhere.

# CARTER & CARROLL.



\$39 self-striped old rose Suit. Reduced to \$32.50.

\$45 black and white check Suit. Reduced to \$35.

\$45 novelty taupe three-piece Suit. Reduced to \$35.

\$45 black and white striped Suit. Reduced to \$35.

\$45 directoire cloth tan Suit. Reduced to \$35.

\$50 bayadere black and white line stripe Suit. Reduced to \$35.

\$55 navy blue imported Serge Suit. Reduced to \$45.

\$60 beautiful taupe Suit. Reduced to \$47.50.

\$75 classy navy blue serge Suit. Reduced to \$55.

\$50 Suit, made from navy blue imported serge. Reduced to \$39.

To fully comprehend the astounding bargains offered in women's Tailor-made Cloth Suits at our store, you must visit our Suit Department, where you will be readily convinced that we are putting on the greatest reduction sale of women's Suits in the city.



# WOODS ON WHEELS

In the Charge Made Against  
J. Harry Smith by  
Wife Anna.

## JURY REPORTED NO CAUSE OF ACTION

In the Damage Case of John  
W. Crawford vs. Henry  
Groby.

In a petition filed Friday afternoon in common pleas court Anna Smith seeks a divorce from her husband, Harry Smith. She states that they were married at Springfield, Ohio, February 14, 1923, and that no children were born to the union. She alleges that the defendant is guilty of habitual drunkenness, and that although he is unable to get around, only in a wheel chair, that he takes advantage of every opportunity to get liquor and becomes intoxicated; that when in such condition he abuses her and threatens her life. She asks for a decree of divorce and equitable relief.

No Cause.  
The jury returned a verdict of "no cause of action" in the damage case of John W. Crawford vs. Henry Groby, after deliberating for two hours. The plaintiff sought to recover \$3,000 damages for personal injuries.

Quiet Week.  
The past week has been quiet in real estate circles, in the matter of transfers, there being but an average of one day to date.

If you could see what it has done for others, you'd not suffer another minute. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has relieved thousands of hopeless cases of stomach, kidney, liver and blood troubles. 25c. tea or tablets. H. F. Vorkamp, druggist.

CARPETS—Are going lively this Spring. It really seems like old times—people have been literally "Rug Crazy" the last year or two, but a change has taken place, they are realizing that a completely carpeted room is more homelike and in consequence are buying more carpets. We have a beautiful line and the prices are right, too.

F. E. HARMAN.

## STREET QUESTION Will be Principal Topic at Council Meeting.

Several things will come up for consideration at the meeting of the city council this evening, when they will meet as a committee of the whole.

Probably the most important will be the paving question. They will take stock, as it were, of the contemplated street improvements, and consider the various propositions now on the table. This includes all that have been referred to council. Those that have been acted upon as well as those which have later been presented to that body. City Engineer Brice will present his estimate upon all the proposed paving, and it is a certainty that if all these are found feasible the proposed bond issue will preclude the consideration of any other petitions for paving this season.

In addition the committee will discuss the petition presented by the W. B. C., the recent major's budget; petition in regard to the ice contract for the reservoir, and several other minor matters.

Menden Pile Remedy is put up in a tube with nozzle attached. May be applied directly to the affected parts. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. May-25

## NOTICE

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the U. C. T. will hold a meeting at Eagle hall at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. All members are requested to be present. By order of president.

## BURNING RUBBISH

Called Department to Old  
Steel Plant Site.

An alarm from box 42 at 1:10 o'clock Friday afternoon called the department to the old steel plant site on South Main street. It developed that a pile of rubbish had caught fire, probably from an engine spark, and the same was extinguished without damage to the property.

Principled Fate Averted.  
"I would have been a cripple for life from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Disherby, Kellier, Minn. "Without Buckner's Arnica Salve, which soon cured me." Available for wounds, cuts and bruises. It soon cures burns, scalds, skin sores, Boils. Skin Eruptions. World's best for Piles. 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

## CONNIE MACK

Secures Catcher Livestones  
of Indianapolis.

Philadelphia, April 23.—A telegram received today from Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia American league team, who is now in Boston, announced that he has purchased catcher Livestones of the Indianapolis American association club.

MATTINGS—We are anxious to show you our beautiful line of fine Mattings, never had a finer line.

P. E. HARMAN.

Pinoclon are for Backache, and other quick relief to lumbago, rheumatism, fatigue and all other symptoms of kidney diseases. They are a tonic to the entire system and build up strength and health. Price 50c and \$1.00. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store.

# MAY PRIZE

Ancient Scotch Custom Which Involves  
Shunning Strangers.

St. John's Episcopal Church at Acconnet of Scotland, as a relic of many old customs, which is continued to be observed in the Highlands, though they are even then fast dying out from the cities and towns, that great work which was published in 1791 and the succeeding years, we learn, on the authority of the minister of Colchester, Perthshire, that for days of the twelfth century, a body upon the moors on May day and proceeded to dig a trench from the wall of the castle to the shore, and to fill it with a mixture of green turf and white peat, and to a distance of the whole parish.

They ignited a fire and prepared a custard of milk and eggs and a large oatmeal cake which they baked upon a stone over a fire. When the custard had been prepared they divided the cake into as many equal portions as there were persons in the assembly and divided one of those pieces with chocolate until it was perfectly black. They then placed all the pieces of cake together in a basket, and each in turn drew one blindfolded, the holder of the basket being entitled to the last piece. The boy who drew the blackened portion was destined to be sacrificed and was compelled to leap three times through the flames.

Although the ceremony had degenerated into a mere pastime for boys it is evident that it must once upon a time have involved the actual sacrifice of a human being in order to render the coming summer fruitful—Gleaner's Magazine.

## A QUICK TOUCH.

She Needed Money and Sent a Message That Would Fetch It.

A day or two ago a woman entered a suburban telephone office and said to the receiver of messages that she desired to telegraph her husband, who was away in the country to ask him for money. He pointed her to the counter supplied with blanks and told her the rate for a dozen words. She struggled away for a quarter of an hour and then handed in the following:

"Won't you please send me £5 by next post?"  
"I don't know whether that will do or not," she said as she felt for her purse. "If you were to receive such a telegram from your wife, would you forward the money?"  
"Well, well, I might," he replied in doubtful tones.

"Now, you wait. I don't like the telegram at all, because I tried to keep it within twelve words. I'll write another."

She tore it up, walked over to the counter and in three minutes handed in a new one reading:  
"Am out of food and fuel and want £5 as soon as you can get it here. If you can't spare it I'll pawn the pattern carpet."

"That would bring the money from me," said the counter clerk as he read the lines and marked the number of words.

"Thank you very much. Send it quick,"—London Tit-Bits.

## Investigating Grandpa.

A grandfather, well known in the English house of commons, was chatting amiably with his little granddaughter, who was saucily enquired on his knee.

"What makes your hair so white, grandpa?" the little miss queried.  
"I am very old, my dear; I was in the ark," replied his lordship, with a painful disregard of the truth.

"Oh, you are Noah?"  
"No."  
"Are you Shem, then?"  
"No, I am not Shem."  
"Are you Ham?"  
"No."

"Then," said the little one, who was fast nearing the limit of her Biblical knowledge, "you must be Japheth."

A negative reply was given to this query also, for the old gentleman inwardly wondered what the outcome would be.

"But, grandpa, if you are not Noah or Shem or Ham or Japheth you must be a bear!"

## The Evil Eye.

The "evil eye" was one of the many superstitious that at one time beset humanity in the time of its ignorance. It was believed throughout the middle ages that certain persons had the power of cursing you by their glances, or subjecting you to the fascination which unopposed, blighted and destroyed you. Amulets of various forms were used against this much dreaded power as well as certain practices, such as laughing, spitting and turning a somersault.

## Doing Without the Dot.

The small letter "i" was formerly written without the dot. The dot was introduced in the fourteenth century to distinguish "i" from "l" in hasty and indistinct writing. The letter "j" was originally used where the letter "i" is now employed. The distinction between "i" and "j" was introduced by the Dutch printers at a comparatively recent date, and the "j" was dropped because the "i" from which it was derived, was written with a dot.

## Value of Religion.

"Some people," said the Rev. Mr. Goodman, "can never be made to appreciate the value of religion."  
"That's right," replied Mainhantz, the merchant; "they don't know how to catch the church trade at all."—Philadelphia Press.

The early bird is all right but the early worm is a fool.—Charleston News and Courier.

## CASTORIA.

The Kid in the House

Dr. H. F. Vorkamp

# THE MARKET

## New York Produce.

New York, April 23.—Butter weak, receipts 2,023, creamery specials 18, creamery extras 2.

Cheese, firm, receipts 1,192. State full cream new colored best 14 1/2, No 15, no fair to choice 13 1/2 to 14 1/2. No white best 14 1/2. No fair to good 12 1/2 to 14 1/2.

Eggs, easier, receipts 1,602. Western storage packed 22 1/2 to 23; do fresh 22 1/2 to 23; do seconds 21; northern fresh 21 1/2.

Chicago, April 23.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 10,000. Market steady. Hogs, \$1.70 to \$1.90. Texas steers, \$1.50 to \$1.65, western steers, \$1.40 to \$1.55, stockers and feeders, \$1.00 to \$1.20. Cows and heifers, \$1.00 to \$1.20. Calves, \$1.50 to \$1.60.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 14,000. Market steady. Light, \$6.90 to \$7.10; mixed, \$7.00 to \$7.15; heavy, \$7.00 to \$7.10. Rough, \$7.00 to \$7.15. Good to choice, heavy, \$7.15 to \$7.30; pigs, \$5.75 to \$6.75. Bulk of sales, \$7.25 to \$7.40.

## Daily Movement of Produce.

Receipts—Flour, 77,360 barrels; wheat, 96,600 bushels; corn, 10,000 bushels; oats, 226,000 bushels; rye, 2,000 bushels; barley, 30,000 bushels.

Shipments—Flour, 41,100 barrels; wheat, 66,500 bushels; corn, 194,700 bushels; oats, 188,300 bushels; barley, 137,600 bushels.

## Car Lot Receipts.

Wheat, 4 cars, with 2 of contract grade; corn, 50 cars, with 16 of contract grade, 121 cars; total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 123 cars, compared with 187 cars last week, and 121 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

## Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, April 23.—Close: Wheat, May \$1.22 1/2; July \$1.10 1/2; September \$1.02 1/2; December \$1.01.

Corn—April 68 1/2; May 69 1/2; July 67 1/2; September 66 1/2; December 57 1/2.

Oats—May 55 1/2; July 48 1/2; September 41 1/2; December 41 1/2.

Pork—May \$17.85; July \$18.02 1/2; September \$18.00.

Ribs—July \$8.70; September \$8.82 1/2.

## Down, Down, Down.

Chicago, April 23.—After rebounding sharply from yesterday closing figures wheat today broke to a level considerably below the lowest point touched during the severe slump in the previous session, July selling off to \$1.08 1/2. The more distant deliveries were also subjected to heavy selling pressure under which the December option declined to the dollar mark. The market opened irregular with prices 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher the latter being on the May delivery which sold at the start at \$1.23 to \$1.24 1/2. July opened at \$1.10 1/2 to \$1.11. After the opening bulge the market quickly developed a decidedly weak tone and prices again started downward. Within the first half hour May had declined to \$1.21 while at the same time July had sold off to \$1.08 1/2. The market then rallied a trifle on covering by shorts. When the exception of a comparatively firm market at Liverpool the news of the day was bearish.

Corn prices slumped severely early in the session under a flood of selling orders. May declining to 4 1/2 and July 3. The opening prices were 1/2 to 3/4 higher, May being at 7 1/2 to 7 3/4 with July at 6 1/2 to 6 3/4. Before the decline was checked May had dropped to 6 1/2; while July had sold off to 6 1/2. May oats after opening a shade higher at 56 1/2, declined to 55 1/2.

Provisions opened 2 1/2 lower to 2 1/2 higher.

The wheat market quieted down materially during the last half of the day and the much steeper feeling developed after prices had rallied from one to two cents. The close was fairly steady with July up 1/4 to 1/2 at 6 1/2 to 6 3/4. May was \$1.22 1/2 and September was a shade higher at \$1.03 1/2.

The low point for May corn was reached at 6 1/2. The market then rallied on buying by cash houses and regained a large portion of the early loss. The close was steady with May at 6 1/2. July was off 1/4 to 1/2 at 6 1/2.

## Pittsburg Live Stock.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 23.—Cattle, receipts unchanged.

Hogs, receipts light; market active; prime heavies \$7.75; mediums \$7.55 to \$7.70; heavy Yorkers \$7.60 to \$7.85; light Yorkers \$7.20 to \$7.30; pigs \$6.70 to \$6.90.

Sheep and lambs, supply fair market slow on sheep and strong on lambs. Quotations unchanged.

## Chicago Produce.

Chicago, April 23.—Butter market easy. Creameries, 22 to 27c; dairies, 19 to 24c.

Eggs—Market easy at market. Firsts, 20 1/2 to 21 1/2c.

Cheese—Market steady. Daisies, 15 to 15 1/2c; twins, 14 1/2 to 14 3/4c; Young Americans, 14 1/2 to 15c; long horns, 15 to 16 1/2c.

Potatoes—Market steady. Choice to fancy, 95 to 1.07, fair to good, 1.00 to 1.02.

Poultry—Market easy. Turkeys, 17c; chickens, 13 1/2c; springs, 15c.

Veal—Market steady. 50 to 60 lb. wts. \$6 to \$6.15 lb. wts. 6 1/2 to 7c; 75 to 110 lb. wts. 6 1/2 to 6 3/4c.

## Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, April 23.—Cattle—Receipts 150. Market steady quotations unchanged.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 900 head, market steady. Choice spring lambs, \$6.75 to \$7.10.

Hogs—Receipts 1200; market 10 to 25c higher. Heavies and mediums, \$7.60, heavy Yorkers, \$7.55. Light Yorkers, \$7.25; pigs, \$7.00.

## Toledo Grain.

Toledo, April 23.—Wheat—Cash, \$1.40, May, \$1.37, July, \$1.12 1/2; September, \$1.05 1/2; December, \$1.04 1/2.

Corn—Cash, 71c; May, 70 1/2c; July, 69 1/2c; September, 69c.

Oats—Cash, 57c; May, 56 1/2c; July, 49 1/2c; September, 41 1/2c.

Clover Seed—Cash and April, \$5.70; October and December, \$6.32 1/2.

Alfalfa—Prime, \$8.00.

Timothy—Prime, \$1.80.

Rye—No. 2, 85c.

Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, April 23.—Cattle, receipts light; market steady; quotations unchanged.

Hogs, receipts 15 cars; market steady, Yorkers \$7.60 to \$7.85; pigs \$7.25 to \$7.35; roughs \$6.50 to \$6.70; stock \$5.50 to \$6.00.

Sheep, 25 cars, market active;



# Styles for Spring

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# GOODING'S

Never before in the history of our store have such snappy, swaggar SHOES been in evidence.

Early in the buying season we went into the market with ONE object in view, namely to buy for our particular patrons the BEST there was to buy—best in style, best in materials and most comfortable in lasts. Those who have seen our spring stock of oxfords, ties and pumps for men and women, are in one accord as to the great success we made in attaining our object to get the BEST. We have them here for your inspection at any time.

## Spring Shoes for Women Spring Shoes for Men

Our new ankle strap Oxfords and Pumps meet with great admiration from every Woman that sees them.

The models are entirely new. This new design is not only handsome but it prevents slipping at the heel as well, and assures a perfect fit.

We'll take pleasure in showing you. The leathers are patent kid and calf. The bronze kid and some handsome suede leathers in all colors. We have your size and width.

**\$2.50, \$3.00,  
\$3.50 to \$4.00.**

In such dependable makes as Boyden, Johnson & Murphy, Howard & Foster and several equally high grade lines, are here in the finest assortment of styles and leathers ever shown in Lima. Our Tans for men have already made a decided hit among our customers and in gun metal and patents we have all the leaders shown this spring. Come in and give us the pleasure of showing these exceptional spring shoes to you—we have your style at

**\$3.00, \$4.00 and  
\$5.00.**

## RAILROADS THE NATION'S GREATEST ASSET.

At the annual meeting of the Elmhurst, N. Y., Chapter of Commerce, April 13, its President, John M. Connelly, in the course of his address, spoke as follows relative to railroads:

With the tariff revision bill disposed of, with an early returning home of our state senators and assemblymen, with no more fear of unwise and vicious legislation against corporations and corporate interests, and especially against the railroads, signs of returning prosperity will appear. We are at last beginning to realize that the railroads are America's greatest asset, the pulse of the commercial world, the pioneers of industry, the great employers of labor and the greatest consumers of products. We say tonight to our representatives—let them alone. We believe in regulation, but not in persecution and we call a halt. When you strike at their vital organs, our children cry for bread. The whole fabric of our industrial world is shattered, our nation distressed and poverty and discontent stalk through the land. Let us return to the square deal and see that the deal is square. Let the corporations and the law makers adhere to the golden rule and each do unto the other as they would the other would do unto them.

"When these things have all come to pass the fog will soon lift and the bright sunlight of returning prosperity will cleanse the atmosphere and bring joy to the homes who labor and earn their bread by the sweat of their brow."

## Money Comes in Handcuffs

To A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., now in the reason is well worth reading: "For a long time I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness, and general debility," he writes. "I could not sleep, had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every day in spite of all medical treatment. Then used Electric Bitters. Twelve bottles restored all my old-time health and vigor. Now I can attend to business every day. It's a wonderful medicine." Indigestion, torpid liver, kidneys, blood and nerves. 50c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

From the advertisers' standpoint, one newspaper in the home is worth a dozen on the highway.

The Lima Times-Democrat is THE home newspaper of Lima.

## AFTER A SHAD-LIKE HEN.

Algeron Graber succeeds in working out his plan and develops a new variety of chicken known as the shad hen. The price of eggs will drop to 3 cents a dozen and cold storage eggs will become things of the past.

Mr. Graber has learned that a shad hen lays 200,000 eggs in a season, and does not have to overwork at that. The only trouble about the eggs is that they are most too small for household purposes. He believes that it is within the range of possibility to produce a fowl which will possess many of the good points of the ordinary hen and the beneficial shad. Even if the shad-hen was good for only 10,000 eggs a season the results would justify Mr. Graber.

Many unfortunate accidents have held him back in his work. The first shad-hens turned out had feathers like a chicken, but they insisted on living in the water. Another lot had scales like a fish, and the first cold snap killed them.

In case Mr. Graber finds his task to be an impossible one he says he will turn his talents in the direction of a turtle hen. This, he believes, will be capable of turning out 20 or 30 eggs a day, and such an output should satisfy any reasonable person. One thing is certain, the turtle hen won't wear any scales—Philadelphia North American.

## DON'T READ THIS!

But see the "Orange Grower's Daughter" at the Royal Theater.

## A REQUEST.

A parent who evidently disapproves of corporal punishment wrote the teacher:

"Dear Miss—Don't hit our Johnny. We never do it at home except in self-defense."—Sacred Heart Review.

## DON'T READ THIS!

But see the "Orange Grower's Daughter" at the Royal Theater.

This is the season of little-known headaches and spring disorders. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a sure preventative. Makes you strong and vigorous. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. H. F. Vorkamp.

## REGULATING PEDESTRIANS.

The rules of the road are so much a matter of course that one hardly thinks of their existence. Every driver knows them and realizes as well that to break them they will not only be punished but that the breaking usually brings its own punishment. We have laws regulating automobiles, bicycles, and the street commissioners are trying to help street traffic by a set of new regulations. But who will regulate the pedestrian? Now the majority of city dwellers are afoot while they are in the street, for one person in a carriage there are a hundred on the sidewalk.

And how many pedestrians are there who observe the rules of the road? As for offenders, there is the woman whom the attractions of the show windows draw to the wrong side of the walk; the man who has an idea the suddenness of whose coming blinks him to a standstill; the umbrella or parasol carrier who holds that dangerous weapon under the arm; the gossip who stands in the middle of a crowded sidewalk when a doorway or a side street would do as well, most exasperating of all, the man who turns to find a last word from a friend who has passed and drifts across the walk with eyes behind his back; this last is impossible to avoid; you may dance from side to side, but he is sure to get you. One such offender obstructs the dozens who are behind him in a hurry; for we are all in a hurry, whether the hurry is unnecessary or not. A traffic squad empowered to arrest all pedestrian violators of the rules of the road would be the busiest body of police the city every saw.—Boston Globe

## Interpreted.

Mr. Roosevelt's fellow-passengers on the steamship united in declaring he is "a good Indian"—meaning that he was companionable and likeable, and not meaning to imply the ex-president is in any sense a dead one.—Kansas City Star.

## GIRL WORKS BREAKING STONE.

A L. Moore, deputy sheriff and humane agent of Bristol, was sent to Burlington to investigate the alleged cruel treatment of Annie Baileigh, 17 years old, by her father. He found her in overalls at work on the highway, which her father had received the contract to repair.

Annie, who is buxom and strong, told the sheriff that she did not like indoor work, especially housework, and thought if nobody's business but her own and possibly her folks', if she did wear overalls and give her good father a lift on roadmaking. She assured the official that she could break more stone in a day, if called on to do so, than any man in Burlington. The investigation will not be prosecuted further.

## Out of Date.

The merry widow's out of date. There's little doubt of that. We've rarely seen of late. Those acre widths of hats—But don't think you're a useless yet. O. no, indeed. O. no!

It can be over your garden set To keep off frost and snow. —Kansas City Times.



## About the Age of Forty

certain changes take place in the eyes and most everyone needs glasses at about that age. If it confuses your eyes to read this type or if it is necessary to hold objects away from your eyes to see them clearly it is a sure sign your eyes are defective. To check it have your eyes examined and fitted with proper glasses. This insuring comfort and avoiding the many eye troubles that are bound to come if eyes are neglected now. An examination of your eyes costs nothing.

M. U. Basinger.

## ORPHIUM THEATRE

THE SUN-MURRAY APPROVED VAUDEVILLE.

Week of Monday, April 19, 1909.

BILLY JOHNSON AND HIS DUSKY VALENTINES

In "The Day Before Election"

THE GREAT ELECTRO & CO. Electric Wizard, Marvels of the Twentieth Century

MARGUERITE NEWTON & CO. In a Musical Comedy play, "The Romance of a Rose"

LAURA HOWE. Songs and Stories

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SUNMURRAYSCOPE. New Pictures.

Matinee daily, 10c. Night, 7:30 and 9 o'clock, 10c and 20c. Children's special matinee Saturday, 5c. Grand concert Sunday evening, 8:15.



# ATTABLE CONDITION

Found in Poverty Stricken Home of John Rigel Who Died Today.

# FIVE CHILDREN ARE HALF CLOTHED

And Wife Has Been Working in Cigar Factory to Earn Bread.

In Bennett's morgue on Elizabeth street lies the remains of John Rigel, a poor laborer, while in Walnut alley, in a poor makeshift of a house with little furniture, less fuel and still less food are huddled the wife and five children the eldest not thirteen years of age.

From appearances the Rigel family need the assistance of charity inclined people as badly as any family possibly could. For two years the dead man has been waiting on him. In the meantime his wife, to the best of her ability, has been trying to keep the family together, and at the same time care for her sick husband as well as the children. She has worked in the cigar factory, rising before dawn with the coarse food, she was able to supply. It was busy to work in the factory, and again back to the factory that she might earn a few dollars with which to buy necessities, dollars with which to buy necessities, dollars with which to buy necessities.

The family are pitifully ignorant, the father was illiterate, and the wife can neither read nor write. The five children, three of them are past school age, have nothing decent to wear. Half of them are without shoes or stockings, and only rags for winter apparel. The fact that the women has not appealed to the Associated Charities for assistance, nor as far as known to any other source is something in her favor. However, she is worthy or not, the fact that the children can go hungry or half clothed with clothes that are soiled, full of holes, and without warmth, should surely make an appeal to those who have plenty of this world's goods, and who would never miss the little that would do so much toward making this family comfortable and civilized.

The funeral services over the remains of the deceased husband and father will take place Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, and Rev. Geo. Watson of the Wayne Street Church of Christ, will preach the funeral sermon. The service will be either at the home or at the funeral home, at the residence, probably the former place but it is not fully decided.

# GOOD PROGRAM

At Solar Hall Tonight by Rebekah.

Rebekah lodge will entertain the friends of the members and the members themselves with a delightful musical program which has been prepared for the meeting tonight. Among other things will be given the following:

Reading: Miss Dottie Gardner  
Solo: Mrs. Sherman Lela  
Violin Solo: Gertrude Davis  
Reading: Mrs. Russell  
Piano Solo: Lucile Bogardus  
Solo: Dottie Gardner  
Fancy Drill  
Spelling Match.

The last named part of the program promises amusement and a good time for everybody who attends.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

# DR. BOOKWALTER

President of Otterbein to Visit County.

Rev. Lewis Bookwalter, D. D., President of Otterbein University will deliver the morning sermon at the Allentown United Brethren church and the evening sermon at the B. O. church in Elida. As President Bookwalter is an exceptionally busy man the members of the above churches are very fortunate in being able to have him with them at this time. It is sincerely hoped that as many as possible and especially all those who are in the Otterbein University and who are in the Otterbein University and who are in the Otterbein University.

It is a Top Notch Doctor. Great deeds compel regard. The world knows its doctors. That's why the American people have crowned Dr. King's New Discovery the King of Throat and Lung Remedies. Every atom is a health force. It kills germs, and cures colds and influenza. It heals cough-racked membranes and coughing stops. Sore, inflamed bronchial tubes and lungs are cured and hemorrhages cease. Dr. George More, Black Jack, N. C., writes: "It cured me of lung trouble pronounced hopeless by all doctors." File and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by H. F. Vorkamp.

G. A. R. There will be regular meeting of Mart Armstrong Post 202 in G. A. R. hall Saturday, April 24, at 1:30 p. m. Let us have a large attendance. By order of G. E. COPELAND, Com. SAM DAVIS, Adjutant.

YOU HAVE always wanted a large Leather Chair, haven't you? Couldn't afford to buy it because the price was too high—now here's your chance—make an offer on any one of the six in our north show window. Tell us how much you would give to own one. F. E. HARMAN.

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# SOMETHING IS DOING

Local C. H. & D. Shops Visit.

ed by Baltimore and Ohio Officials

# THIS MORNING

AFTER WHICH

Farty Left in Road's Private

Car for New York

Via Toledo.

Rumors of the taking over of the C. H. & D. by the Baltimore and Ohio, have been rife for a long time, but recent developments prove them to have had foundation.

Last week a complete inventory of all the C. H. & D. property in this city was taken, and today L. F. Loroe, vice president of the B. & O., an old Pennsylvania railroad man, with other B. & O. officials, accompanied by Superintendent J. A. Gordon, Chief Engineer Wilson, and Superintendent of Motive Power Hinckley, made a careful tour of the local shops and terminals.

The entire party left in C. H. & D. private car No. 7, on train No. 6, bound for New York, via Toledo.

The gentlemen were all reluctant when approached on the subject of C. H. & D. control by the B. & O., but would deny it as an early possibility.

Its accomplishment would mean a great deal for Lima, especially as the B. & O. is practically a Pennsylvania Company property.

New Engines.

The ten new switch engines ordered by Receiver Harmon from the American Locomotive Works, and built at Schenectady shops, were delivered here last night, and will be put into early service at points on the C. H. & D. system.

LIQUID VENER.

Don't forget that it lessens the labor of housecleaning. Try wiping your wood work clean then applying Liquid Vener—it will make your old wood work look new. No need of scrubbing it. That's too much like work. Your money back if you are not satisfied.

F. E. HARMAN.

# THREE ORDERS

Will Take Part in Obsequies

of Engineer Ballard.

The funeral services over the remains of Engineer John Ballard, who lost his life in the wreck of Thursday at Toledo, will be held Saturday afternoon. The memorial will be held at Trinity M. E. church at two o'clock, and Dr. T. H. Campbell will preach the funeral sermon. The deceased was a member of Lima Lodge of Elks, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Lumbermen No. 581, I. O. O. F.

A joint committee meeting was held this morning by representatives from those three orders, and plans made for their part of the last services over their dead comrade. The Engineers, beyond attending the service in a body, will take no part in the service; the Odd Fellows will have their ritual service at the church and the Elks at the cemetery. Two members of each organization will be named to act as pall bearers.

The most healthful, upbuilding medicine known to science. Gentle and soothing to the nerves; makes digestion easy. Brings the sweet sleep of youth. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. H. F. Vorkamp, druggist.

RUMMAGE SALE, COURT HOUSE BASEMENT. ALL DAY FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. 4-41

# ENGAGEMENT

Of Miss Edith Argue Announced at Noon Today.

Shortly the Girls' Bridge Club, organized several years ago by a bevy of bright young girls, will be a thing of the past. Rapidly in the past two years its numbers have been thinning, one wedding after another, depleting the ranks.

Today Miss Edith Argue, while hostess at a beautiful violet luncheon given ostensibly for Miss Hay, announced her engagement and coming marriage to Mr. Bennett F. Liles, of Buffalo, N. Y. The marriage will take place in the early autumn and will be a social event of much importance during that season.

Miss Argue is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Argue, of West Market street, and is one of the most popular and attractive of Lima's young women.

Mr. Liles is a member of a prominent Buffalo family, a rising young lawyer and real estate broker, and he has many friends in this city.

DR. A. JONES

Has moved his Dental Office to the Metropolitan Block.

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The up-to-date women avoid cosmetics, drugs and powders. They are extremely harmful to the skin, while Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes it clear and beautiful. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. F. Vorkamp, druggist.

LACE CURTAINS—if you want to see the prettiest line of lace curtains in town, we have it, and the prices will please you, too.

F. E. HARMAN.

MODERATELY EFFECTIVE.

She goes in for simplicity.

For the power of simplicity is a thing she doesn't doubt, no, not a bit.

But she is not so simple.

As to think, by being simple.

Simply, she'll be voted simply it.

—Puck.

Please: Get nothing like bread made from Gold Medal Flour.

# CERENA CAPTURES PUREST TASTE.

The Remarkable Food Economy in the Almost Every House in the City and Suburbs.

Before asking a single person to buy Cerena before asking it we determined to let everybody taste it before buying it. The popularity of Cerena as a result, has broken all bounds. The army of appreciative men and women who are now buying Cerena, the great food-reinforcer, are almost as numerous as those who flock to the grocers to get the free 25c packages of Cerena.

This means that those who have tasted Cerena once, have concluded that all we said about it was true. We have never had anything to compare with the demand and popularity of Cerena, in this city.

It suits particular women who buy the particular men who eat it. It suits the whimsical children who taste it. It does them all good that can never be expressed. It is a royal remedy—a food-remedy.

Cerena is, first of all, the best, the most effective, the most natural constipation cure ever produced. And yet Cerena contains not an iota of medicine or drugs.

Cerena not only puts an end to constipation, but also to indigestion, dyspepsia, fermentation, loss of appetite, tired feeling, biliousness and laziness of the liver. It makes you feel like setting up and doing things.

Resident Cerena is a bone-blood-tissue builder, intensely so.

Cerena is made from carefully selected cereals, the soups of juicy fruits and nutritious vegetables, all put together by a remarkable process to form a combination which has never yet been equaled. Its popularity proves it.

If you have not yet tasted Cerena, you are missing a delight. No more pills, powders, bowel-paralyzers, cathartics or other medicine for stomach or bowel trouble. Cerena does all the work alone. Throw the medicines from your shelves. Get Cerena today at your grocer at 25c a package, and after tasting it once, and noting its effect in a few days, you will never be without it again.

Cerena at your grocer at 25c a package.

# SERIOUS INJURY.

James Bigley Struck With Beer Glass.

James Bigley was arrested Thursday evening on the Public Square on the charge of drunkenness. He was placed in the city jail to be arraigned Friday morning.

When brought before the mayor it developed that the prisoner had sustained a serious injury to his left eye. He stated that he remembered of someone hitting him with a beer glass, but could not recall where it happened. His eye was swollen three times its natural size, and is in a serious condition. The mayor assessed the defendant \$1 and costs and remitted the same, permitting the unfortunate man to go to a physician.

A Healing Salve for Burns, Chapped Hands and Sore Nipples.

As a healing salve for burns, sores, sore nipples, and chapped hands, Chamberlain's Salve is most excellent. It allays the pain of a burn almost instantly, and unless the injury is very severe, heals the parts without leaving a scar. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

# THE ORANGE GROWER'S DAUGHTER AT THE ROYAL.

This is another of the famous Florida series of entertaining and instructive pictures and deals with love and adventure in the land of the tuculent fruit. Stella, the beautiful daughter of a wealthy Southerner is engaged to a fine young fellow, Jim Carroll, the son of a neighbor. But Stella has aroused the jealous nature of her father's plantation overseer, a Cuban, and this man, taking advantage of the father's absence, tries to abduct Stella to Cuba. He almost accomplishes his purpose, but is frustrated by Jim, who rescues the girl after a fight against almost overwhelming odds. The scenes were all taken on the St. John's River, Florida, and will excite even more interest than the others have. Production displayed at the Royal today and tomorrow.

# CASTORIA.

The Kind You Run Always Bought

Signature

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The Lima Times-Democrat is THE home newspaper of Lima.

PAINTED FLOORS to look right should have the cracks properly filled. We can supply you a filler that will stay where you put it; it doesn't cost much and is vastly better than anything before offered. Try it on your floor.

F. E. HARMAN.

# CAMELS IN CHINA.

In the thought of most people, the camel is the "ship of the desert," and any suggestion of this uncouth creature brings up a mental picture of the burning sands of the Sahara or the land of the misty past, of pyramids and the sphinx. For centuries these faithful creatures have been the beasts of burden carrying the exports of China westward, reaching even the steppes of Russia and the frozen plains of Siberia. The construction of railroads out of the west of Asia will relieve these patient desert-goers of the necessity of these northern pilgrimages.

# EGGS COOK THEMSELVES.

(Whittings (Penn.) Cor. Phila. North American.)

By merely feeding his hens more lime, R. M. Johnson gave to the world his justly famous self-cooking egg. It is one of the marvels of the egg, and eminent scientists who at first declared the idea to be absurd now admit they were mistaken.

"The queer thing to me," said Mr. Johnson, when speaking with your correspondent, "is that so person

# Why Darn Stockings By Hand?

You Can Get Free Lessons

228 North Main Street.

had ever before thought of the thing. I reasoned it out this way. The shells of eggs are composed of lime. Now, lime, when slacked in water, sets up a chemical reaction and becomes very hot. Hence, I deduced that if provided a shell with enough lime it would cook the contents of the egg.

"I first selected a flock of extra hardy hens and began feeding them on a diet of cracked limestone. The first generation of eggs showed progress and the third generation gave me an egg with a shell so thick that a hammer was required to break it. By dropping the eggs in cold water the shell slacked, boiled the contents and then fell apart, leaving a poached egg on the plate."

# HE HAD NO OBJECTIONS.

Michael Quinn, the bright page in superior court No. 2, who was recently elevated to the position of clerk of that court because he was competent, had a new duty to perform the other day.

Dr. Hubbard, a Mooresville Quaker was asked to take the witness stand in a case being tried, and Clerk Quinn was asked to swear him in as a witness. Quinn began to rattle off the oath, when Dr. Hubbard stopped him, saying he would affirm.

Quinn never been asked to affirm a witness before, Quinn was not to be caught napping. He had studied the words to be repeated in affirming a witness, which are as follows:

"I do solemnly affirm that I will tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, under the pains and penalties of perjury."

Quinn repeated the words as if he were an old hand at the business, but he made a slight mistake on the last word. This is what he said:

"I do solemnly affirm that I will tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, under the pains and penalties of perjury."

The Quaker, who was holding up his hand, nodded his head in affirmation. Judge Leathers saw the attorney smiling, and feeling that things were not exactly right, called Quinn to him and asked him to repeat the words.

"Mr. Witness," said Judge Leathers, "you have affirmed that you will tell the truth 'under the pains and penalties of purgatory.' Have you any objection to that?"

The Quaker said he did not object, and the trial proceeded.—Indianapolis News.

# NEW LIFE STIRS AFRICA.

The new Africa impresses the untraveled. Mombasa, Tanganyika, and Dar es Salaam, which thirty-five years ago were known chiefly as notorious towns, where miserable gangs of slaves were marched through, are now thriving young cities with public gardens, well kept streets, hospitals, and railroads. They are ports of call for several steamship lines, and Tanganyika is calling for more wharves to accommodate her business interests.

Even hundreds of miles from the railroads the new life is stirring. Katanga, near the source of the Congo, is believed to be one of the world's great copper fields, and rich also in gold. Every mouth gold is carried on the backs of men, or in dugouts on the streams to faraway Victoria Nyansa, whence it is shipped to the sea, the export for last August amounting \$166,000.

The French have tamed the desert bandits, made the routes safe across the Sahara, established postal service across the desert, and surveyed for a trans-Saharan telegraph line. No other part of the uncivilized world, thinks Cyrus C. Adams, has advanced so rapidly in the last ten years as the Saharan desert land.

The French are making new oases by tapping the ground waters that spread in a wide sheet under the permeable strata of the thirst lands.

# HE'LL LIVE TO BE 500.

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# Why Darn Stockings By Hand?

You Can Get Free Lessons

228 North Main Street.

had ever before thought of the thing. I reasoned it out this way. The shells of eggs are composed of lime. Now, lime, when slacked in water, sets up a chemical reaction and becomes very hot. Hence, I deduced that if provided a shell with enough lime it would cook the contents of the egg.

"I first selected a flock of extra hardy hens and began feeding them on a diet of cracked limestone. The first generation of eggs showed progress and the third generation gave me an egg with a shell so thick that a hammer was required to break it. By dropping the eggs in cold water the shell slacked, boiled the contents and then fell apart, leaving a poached egg on the plate."

# HE HAD NO OBJECTIONS.

Michael Quinn, the bright page in superior court No. 2, who was recently elevated to the position of clerk of that court because he was competent, had a new duty to perform the other day.

Dr. Hubbard, a Mooresville Quaker was asked to take the witness stand in a case being tried, and Clerk Quinn was asked to swear him in as a witness. Quinn began to rattle off the oath, when Dr. Hubbard stopped him, saying he would affirm.

Quinn never been asked to affirm a witness before, Quinn was not to be caught napping. He had studied the words to be repeated in affirming a witness, which are as follows:

"I do solemnly affirm that I will tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, under the pains and penalties of perjury."

Quinn repeated the words as if he were an old hand at the business, but he made a slight mistake on the last word. This is what he said:

"I do solemnly affirm that I will tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, under the pains and penalties of perjury."

The Quaker, who was holding up his hand, nodded his head in affirmation. Judge Leathers saw the attorney smiling, and feeling that things were not exactly right, called Quinn to him and asked him to repeat the words.

"Mr. Witness," said Judge Leathers, "you have affirmed that you will tell the truth 'under the pains and penalties of purgatory.' Have you any objection to that?"

The Quaker said he did not object, and the trial proceeded.—Indianapolis News.

# NEW LIFE STIRS AFRICA.

The new Africa impresses the untraveled. Mombasa, Tanganyika, and Dar es Salaam, which thirty-five years ago were known chiefly as notorious towns, where miserable gangs of slaves were marched through, are now thriving young cities with public gardens, well kept streets, hospitals, and railroads. They are ports of call for several steamship lines, and Tanganyika is calling for more wharves to accommodate her business interests.

Even hundreds of miles from the railroads the new life is stirring. Katanga, near the source of the Congo, is believed to be one of the world's great copper fields, and rich also in gold. Every mouth gold is carried on the backs of men, or in dugouts on the streams to faraway Victoria Nyansa, whence it is shipped to the sea, the export for last August amounting \$166,000.

The French have tamed the desert bandits, made the routes safe across the Sahara, established postal service across the desert, and surveyed for a trans-Saharan telegraph line. No other part of the uncivilized world, thinks Cyrus C. Adams, has advanced so rapidly in the last ten years as the Saharan desert land.

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Eilerman's Apparel is the highest achievement of expert tailors' brains and hands. For years custom-tailored ready-to-wear garments of this kind have been promised.

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It takes just such clothes as the Eilerman's to earn the indorsement of the people of Lima and vicinity—every point in their thoroughness spells Quality.

Suits, Topcoats and Raincoats for  
Men and Young Fellows

**\$7.50 \$10 \$12 \$15 \$18 \$20**

Our Spring line of Hats and Smart Haberdashery  
is in perfect harmony with the high standard of  
quality here evidenced.



Faultless Clothes  
for Boys.

Our display of spring garments for the little men is now ready for inspection, and we want every mother to see them. Never before have mothers had the opportunity of dressing the little fellows in as many smart ways. Cleverest style ideas.

**\$1.50 \$2 \$3 \$4 \$5.**

Headwear  
of Unerring  
Correctness.

The high class idea pervades every detail of this stock—every variety block and fashion of most artistic designs from leading factories. Hats that eloquently demonstrate that this is the greatest headwear selection ever shown at

**\$1 \$1.50 \$2 \$3.**

John B. Stetson Hats,  
\$3.50 and \$4.00.



### FANCY DRESS VESTS.

Men's White and Fancy Washable Dress Vests in plain, stripes and figures—perfect fitting—special values.

**\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.50.**

### UNDERWEAR.

Men's French Balbriggan, Lisle Thread and medium weight Underwear, at

**50c, 75c, \$1.00.**

### SWELL SPRING HOSE.

Our own importation. Entirely new and different ideas. Handsome patterns,

**25c and 50c.**

### FINE DRESS SHIRTS.

New handsome Spring styles, more beautiful than ever. Colossal display at

**50c, \$1.00, \$1.50.**

### NECKWEAR.

Of High Merit—A bewildering array of rich new silks and satins. Newest shapes and smartest ever shown at

**25c and 50c.**

### BOYS' WAISTS.

The Spring of the year always brings up the blouse question, and we're ready to meet it at 50c.

**Specials for Saturday Only.**

#### KNEE PANTS—

Boys' high grade all wool knee pants in fancy chevrons and cassi

**29c**

#### HALF HOSE—

Excellent quality men's fancy half hose newest colors.

**10c**

#### SUSPENSERS—

Good quality suspenders for men and boys.

**12c**

#### SHIELD BOWS—

Men's and boys' beautiful Shield Bow Ties.

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THE DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS AND SUIT HOUSE.

Friday, April 23, 1920.

Weather—Fair.

221-223 E. Main Street.

## Raincoats Specially Priced.

**\$12.75 to \$22.50 Values for \$7.95 each.**

To close out our entire line of Women's Rain Coats we have put the price very low for Saturday's selling. Every woman needing an auto or rain coat should see what we offer. There are just 15 Coats left in the lot—9 of best quality London Cravenette in semi-fitted and loose styles, all sizes, mostly grays, and worth regularly \$16.50, \$20.00 and \$22.50 each; 6 rubberized Silk Coats, all new models, in black and colors, all sizes, worth regularly \$12.75 each; to clean up this small lot we offer them at \$7.95 for choice.

### Shedwater and Satin Foulards: New Styles.

All the new styles in shedwater and satin Foulards are here in an extensive line of colorings and designs. The styles are the prettiest, and the qualities the best you ever bought for this money. The shedwater Foulards are spot proof which makes them very desirable for hard wear. Choose while selections are the best.

Shedwater Foulards, all shades, are priced low at 75c, 85c and \$1 yard.

Satin Foulards of excellent wearing qualities, all shades, 60c and 75c yard.

### Knit Underwear: Spring Weight.

Our Knit Underwear section has been busy since the warmer days are here. No wonder when you note the values and the quality of our goods. We always carry the best brands to be had, in all styles. We call special attention to our line of fine imported goods:

Women's fine imported Swiss Rib Underwear in all styles, priced very low.

Women's White Knit Vests, high neck and long sleeve styles, 25c each.

Women's Lisle Vests, extra fine high neck, long sleeve styles, 50c each.

Women's Knit Corset Covers, long sleeves white, 25c each.

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, 50c each; extra fine quality, all sizes, 50c each.

Children's Knit Vests, high neck, long sleeves, white, 25c; pants to match, ankle length 25c each.

Remember our special sale on all Women's and Misses' Tailored Cloth Suits in Stock. Every Suit has been reduced for quick selling, and they are going rapidly.

### New Style Gingham: Special Values.

Another case of Dress Gingham just arrived, containing about 2500 yards. Our fifty different styles and colorings are present, in a fine, sheer quality suitable for summer wear. Dainty patterns in stripes and me verized jacquards, in pink, blues, tans, browns, gray and black and white. These are very best 25c values, priced to you at 17c the yard, while they last.

Bordeure Gingham for skirts and full suits, 10c, 12½c to 40c yard.

Special in Apron Gingham—extra good quality, blue and brown checks, 4c yard.

### Hosiery.

"Cadet" Hose for men, women and children, all linen heels and toes, 25c pair.

Women's gauge Lisle Hose, garter top, double sole high spliced heel, black or tan, 25c pair.

Women's black gauge Lisle Hose extra fine, 35c, 3 pair for \$1.00.

### Gloves.

Women's two clasp Kid Gloves, in all shades to match your gown, \$1.00 and \$1.50 pair.

Women's Kid Driving Gloves, tan or black stiff gauntlet style, \$1.50 pair; soft gauntlet style \$2.50 pair.

Women's Silk and Lisle Gloves, 25c to \$1.50 pair.

### Bargains in the Art Department.

We offer two lots of Hand Embroidered Pillow Tops, embroidered with Richardson's silk on fine denim, all colors, with satin or silk ruffles, or finished with cord, complete, \$4.00 values, at \$2.98; \$6.00 values at \$3.98 each. A nice selection of patterns

All Linen Hand Embroidered Centerpieces, emb. in colors, cluny lace trimmed, \$3.00 values, \$2.19 each; \$4.50 values, \$3.39 each.

Doilies, Centerpieces and Dresser Scarfs, of extra heavy quality linen, hand drawn, German linen lace trimmed, round and square styles, 18 to 36 in. sizes, at 45c, 65c to \$1.25 each.

Porch Pillows in awning stripes, all colors, 44c each.

### Low Prices on Linens.

Some extra good values in Table Linens and Towels are offered for Saturday's selling:

Cream Table Damask, pretty patterns, at 39c, 65c and 75c yard.

Bleached Table Damask, special values, 58c, 88c and \$1.19 the yard.

Brown Crash, all linen, special at 10c the yard.

Huck Towels, all linen, hemstitched, heavy weight, 25c each.



# G.E. BLUEM



### LIMA MAN

Elected to Office in Grand  
Council of R. A.

Dr. J. C. Pence of this city who has been grand guide of the grand council of the Royal Arcanum, was elected to the office of grand chaplain at the election held Thursday at the annual meeting at Columbus, Ohio. The following is the list of grand officers elected: Grand regent W. D. Prenter, Cleveland; grand vice regent, C. H. Sexauer, Lancaster; 8. past grand regent, N. W. Looser, Dayton; grand orator, Edwin H. Brink, Cincinnati; grand secretary, Thomas Butterfield, Cleveland; grand treasurer, Judge G. E. Golden, of Racine, Wis.; grand chaplain, Dr. J. C. Pence, Lima; grand deputy supreme regent, acted as in-guides, J. N. Stone, Oberlin, and the various offices represent chapters, grand and trustees, J. E. Heiser, Cincinnati; grand trustees, J. E. Heiser, Cincinnati; grand trustees, J. E. Heiser, Cincinnati. The meeting just closed in a very Hamilton, T. H. Downes, Columbus

Frank Rubrecht, Columbus, grand representative and E. B. Thompson, Cincinnati, grand alternate. The next place of meeting will be at Toledo in 1921.

A guaranteed cough remedy is Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup. For coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, soreness and all bronchial affections. Best for children because it is quick to relieve and tastes good. Gently laxative. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store.

JUNE IN.  
THE LATEST STYLES IN BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS—MORRIS'S.



**Dr. George Stuart, America's Greatest Platform Orator will address a Monster Men's Mass Meeting in Memorial Hall, this Evening, at 8 O'clock. Mr. A. M. Thatcher, Noted Solist, will assist Him. Cordial invitation extended to every Man in Lima to be present and enjoy an evening of profit and pleasure.**

## CENTENNIAL OF THE FOUNDATION OF THE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

Will be Celebrated in Pittsburg in Month of October.

IS EXPECTED  
TO BE LARGEST

Church Assembly Ever Held  
in United States.—  
It's Purpose.

The centennial of the foundation of the Disciples of Christ, or the Christian church, as it is called in the western states, will be celebrated at Pittsburg the third week in October, when it is expected that 50,000 delegates will assemble in the largest church gathering in the history of the United States. It will be one hundred years, September 7, 1908, that Thomas Campbell delivered his declaration and address at Washington, Pa., upon which the Christian church bases its existence.

**Advertising Centennial.**  
A large amount of printed matter in regard to the centennial is being sent broadcast over the country and a centennial edition has been printed, giving the full text of the declaration and address of Thomas Campbell as it was delivered 100 years ago. The insignia of the centennial is a cut of the four originators of the doctrine: Thomas Campbell, Walter Scott, B. Thomas Campbell, Alexander Campbell, W. Stone and Alexander Campbell. Within the lines enclosing the pictures of these men are the words, "Pittsburg, 1809-1909" and "Where they speak we speak—Where the Scriptures are silent we are silent." A circle of words surrounds the insignia reading as follows, "That they may all be one—That the world may believe."

**Was Well Prepared.**  
"Thomas Campbell, the author of this pamphlet," reads the centennial edition, editorially, "did not come suddenly or unannounced to the place that must be allowed him in the history of the nineteenth century; nor was it a painless process. He was born in the County Down, Ireland, February 1, 1723, of Scotch ancestry, of course. Though his father had renounced Romanism for the Church of England, he long forbade his eldest son to become a minister of the Anti-Burgher Seceder Presbyterians. The training included complete course in Glasgow university and Divinity hall. After his probation he was nine years minister at Aheroy."

**Effected a Reunion.**  
"Now and more his heart cried out against divisions in the family of God. In 1804 at the Synod in Belfast and in 1805 at the joint meeting in Lurgan, he led the movement for uniting the two bodies of seceders. In 1806 he was sent to the General Synod in Glasgow to plead the same cause. The reunion was effected in 1829. In 1807 he removed to America and began preaching at once in Pennsylvania, then a sparsely settled region of the frontier. The vigor, originality and brotherliness of his preaching drew many hearers. Suddenly, to his amazement, the Presbytery of Chartiers censured him for admitting other Presbyterians then seceders to a communion service held for scattered families on the Allegheny river above Pittsburg. On appeal the Synod removed the censure, but charged him to beware of further offense. Under persistent prosecution he withdrew from the Synod's jurisdiction and continued to preach independently until the events here in set forth."

**The Supreme Task.**  
"He brought to the supreme task of his life—the writing of this document—unshakable faith, unconquerable hope and inexhaustible love; the fullness of learning, the power of reflection and the ripeness of experience. With entire and unconscious effacement of self, he sought the glory of Christ and the happiness of mankind." The edition then includes the declaration and address delivered at Washington, September 7, 1809.

**Remarkable Growth.**  
"Since the beginning of the Church of Christ it has had a most remarkable growth in the United States. Its churches now number 11,923. There are 6124 ministers, white and colored, preaching the gospel. The value of the church property amounts to \$28,000,000. The records show that there are 1,300,000 members of the Church of Christ throughout the country. The church has 35 colleges and universities and claims to have more young men studying for the ministry than any other denomination. A total of 1053 at the last report. The Church of Christ also claims to be the planners in the teaching of Bible school teachers, fitting them to take charge of classes."

**Aims of Centennial.**  
The aims of the centennial are many. In the first place they want \$1,000,000 for missions in 1909 and \$1,000,000 was subscribed last year, there will be no difficulty it is thought in raising this immense sum. The church wants 10,000 ministers and 100,000 full-time-teachers-training graduates; first place in Christian Endeavor; \$10,000,000 increase in assets; the promotion of Christian

unity by its practice; 50,000 people at Pittsburg in 1909. Institutionally the church wants a relief for disabled ministers and a permanent fund of \$100,000 for the purpose; the restoration of the Apostolic ministry of benevolence and \$200,000 added to its fund; \$1,000,000 in the church extension fund; the Christian Woman's Board of missions; 100,000 members in the auxiliaries and circles; \$200,000 in new stations; the Foreign Christian Missionary society, \$400,000 in 1909 and \$250,000 for building in 1909.

### POLICE RUSHED SPORTING CLUB.

New York, April 23.—A score of men were clubbed and twelve persons were arrested in a raid made early today by the police on the Car Horse Athletic club in Brooklyn. The police have been active of late suppressing boxing in these clubs, which they assert are not conducted in accordance with the law.

Three bouts had already been fought at the Car Horse club when the police rushed in with their night sticks and clubbed many of the spectators. Twelve were taken into custody. The managers of the club yesterday obtained an injunction from Justice Carr restraining the police from raiding the club as long as athletic contests were held in accordance with law.

### DEAD LANGUAGE SAVED HIS LIFE.

Once, before he was president, Andrew Jackson was making a political speech in some obscure campaign in a backwoods Tennessee district. His address was very well received but somehow there did not seem to be exactly the enthusiasm wanted for the occasion. Having vainly tried to "warm up" his hearers, the general was just going to sit down, when the chairman of the meeting plucked him by the coat tail. "For the Lord's sake, general, give us some Latin!" he hurriedly whispered in the speaker's ear. "They won't think you know anything at all if you quit like this. Talk Latin to 'em half the evening."

Old Hickory rose to the situation. Advancing to the edge of the platform he extended his arm and thundered out: "E pluribus unum! Sic semper tyranni! Habemus corpus!" The audience roared with applause. The credit of the orator was saved and the Jackson ticket won out in that county.—Rochester Herald.

### MODERN WOODMEN Will Have Banquet Monday Evening.

Lima Camp, No. 3290, Modern Woodmen of America, will have a banquet and a social evening on next Monday evening, April 26th. This is only a fore-runner of the great initiation of a large class of candidates which will take place on June 7th, and will add materially to an already strong and vigorous lodge. The drill team of Lima Camp is known throughout northwestern Ohio as one of the best in the state, and the lodge is growing and doing good work in every way. To assist in making the celebration of June 7th a big one, they are offering prizes for the best worker in the class work.

### CAVALRYMAN CHAGRINED.

A member of Troop A of this city attended a banquet in Chicago not long ago and sat next to an elderly man who seemed to show mild interest when he learned that the Cavalier was a member of a cavalry organization. "Yes, we've got a great troop," remarked the Cavalier, promptly, "of course you've heard about us being the president's personal escort in the inaugural parade."

He made several other remarks calculated to make an impression on the older man. The latter said he had had some experience in cavalry work himself, and the Cavalier then made a special effort to make him sit up.

"How much of a march has your troop ever made in a day," asked the older man.

The Troop A member recalled a practice march that the troop made several years ago, in which they covered something like 100 miles in two days. He told it proudly. "Have you ever gone on a long march of that sort?" he asked.

"Well," replied the other man, with a yawn, "I think the longest march I was ever on was when we went 600 miles in four days to relieve General Custar."

The man was a major general stationed at an army post in the west.—Cleveland Leader.

**An Ideal Destroyed.**  
"So you are disappointed with automobiles?"

"Yes, I was induced to buy a machine through admiring a lithograph showing a load of pretty girls riding in one."

"Well?"

"Well, it's been kept filled with my wife's family and none of them are pretty."

## CHINA'S NEW MINISTER TO GREAT BRITAIN.



LI CHING YANG.

Li Ching Yang has recently been appointed to represent China at the Court of St. James. The new order of things in the Chinese Empire, following the death of the Emperor and his mother, who was for so many years the real ruler of China, has made Li Ching Yang's mission one of more than usual importance. He is regarded as an able statesman and is expected to fill his mission with success.

### RAILROAD BREVITIES.

#### Upheld Nine-Hour Law.

Chicago, April 23.—Judge Landis, in the United States district court here, yesterday, in the test case against the Santa Fe road in the 9-hour law governing telegraphers, upheld the law.

The contention between the government and the railroads is as to what the law means. The Santa Fe, at Cornith, Ill., employed two operators, who, by the expedient of a 3-hour rest in the midst of 12-hour shifts, really performed actual labor only nine hours each day.

The government alleged that this constituted a violation of the law. Judge Landis admitted that the construction of the statute was open to question, and, by agreement of counsel, the defendant was allowed to plead guilty and was fined \$100.

The decision will be appealed, as the case is the first one started under the "hours-of-labor" law.

#### All-Steel Diners.

Pittsburg, April 23.—Employees in the steel car department of the Pennsylvania railroad company at Altoona have been assured steady employment for several months as a result of an order being placed yesterday for fifteen all-steel dining cars, to be used on the main line east of Pittsburg. This is the largest single order for steel diners ever given by any railroad and follows a series of thorough tests with this class of equipment on the main line. Each car will cost more than \$15,000, and will be built entirely of steel. They will be of the latest design of steel coach and will be fitted up with all the conveniences that characterize the modern dining car from kitchen to dining table. With the exception of the china and table service there is scarcely anything about the cars that is breakable.

With the completion of the new steel diners the Pennsylvania will be prepared to operate a solid passenger train composed entirely of all-steel cars. The company has built and tested postal, baggage, coach, Pullman and dining cars entirely of steel. As soon as the new diners are completed the company will make a test run of an "all-steel" train, the first on any railroad in the United States. Eventually the all-steel train will replace the 18-hour special between New York and Chicago.

#### R. R. Conductors Headquarters.

Indianapolis, April 23.—Every lodge of the Order of Railway Conductors in the United States will receive a letter from Mayor Bookwalter of this city, urging them to instruct their delegates to their national convention in Boston, next month, to vote for the removal of the national headquarters of the order from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to this city. These letters were mailed yesterday, and the lodges of the

order in South Bend, Fort Wayne, Richmond, Terre Haute, Logansport, and other railroad centers in this state should have received them by this time. Indianapolis is making a strong fight to land the headquarters, and Mayor Bookwalter points out in his letter that Indianapolis now has the national headquarters of more labor organizations than any other city in the country, and has been assisted by practically all of the delegates from Indiana lodges that they will work for the removal.

#### Guard Against Drouth.

Notwithstanding that the Pennsylvania railroad company has expended millions of dollars in the last three years for immense water reservoirs in the mountain districts east of Pittsburg, it was officially announced that the company is considering the construction of big pipe lines through which water will be supplied to all the shops, terminal buildings, locomotives and yards along the main and branch lines east of Pittsburg and Erie. The company is to have its water system so arranged that there will be no necessity of closing shops or plants during the dry season.

#### Will Spend Large Sum.

Winnipeg, Man., April 23.—General Manager Chamberlain of the Grand Trunk Pacific, a part of the Grand Trunk railway system, arrived here yesterday after a trip over the system from the Pacific coast. He stated that the company will spend \$10,000,000 this year on construction.

The first hundred miles east of Prince Rupert, the Pacific terminus, is now under contract and will be finished by September 1st. On that date a contract will be let for 140 miles further east, which will take them into the mountains. Between Winnipeg and Prince Rupert there are only 200 miles not yet under contract. Trains will be running from Fort William to the Rocky mountains this fall. A distance of 1,700 miles. Mr. Chamberlain will go to Montreal Saturday, but will return on May 15th to make Winnipeg his headquarters for the summer. Next year branches will be built to the international boundary line.

### AN AGED TRIFLER IN LOVING HEARTS.

Hackensack, N. J., April 23.—A breach of promise suit is in progress here in which the plaintiff, Margaret A. Vanderbeck is seventy years old, and the defendant, James Puls, three years her senior. The plaintiff has two married daughters while Puls has two daughters and a son married. Puls kept company with Mrs. Vanderbeck for eleven years and then married another woman, a widow. Puls, who is a contractor, says he really meant to marry Mrs. Vanderbeck, but she always put off the day and he grew tired.

### KANSAS Going to Force Clean and Sanitary Hotels.

Great Bend, Kan., April 23.—The first arrest in Kansas of a hotel keeper for violation of the law which requires the proprietor of a hotel at Ellsworth. The reports of the health board showed several rooms to be in an unsanitary shape, without proper ventilation, the kitchen to be extremely bad and an accumulation of dirt and refuse outside the hotel. The proprietor pleaded guilty and was fined \$50.

### WHEAT WINTERED IN FAIR SHAPE.

New York, April 23.—The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad company says in its first report of the season.

"Indications now are that wheat has wintered in very fair shape. The spring is, however, exceedingly backward, and, as wheat is just beginning to grow a little, it may be found that it is not in as good condition as we think it is at this time. There is probably a little less acreage than last year. The reports indicate that the present condition as compared with an average, are as follows: Lincoln division, 91 per cent; Omaha division, 89 per cent; Wyandotte division, 89 per cent; Cook division, 90 per cent. The great bulk of Nebraska wheat is grown on these divisions. Very little spring wheat is being sown in this state."

### BRITISH SELF-POSSESSION.

Not long ago a young couple entered a railway station at Sheffield and were immediately put down as a bridal pair. But they were remarkably self-possessed and behaved with such sang-froid that the other passengers began to doubt if their first surprise was correct after all.

As the train moved out, however, the young man rose to remove his overcoat and a shower of rice fell out, while the passengers smiled broadly.

But even that did not affect the youth, who also smiled, and turning to his partner, remarked audibly: "By Jove, May, I've stolen the bridegroom's overcoat!"—Tailor.

### Second Childhood.

"Your grandpa is coming to visit me, Arlie," imparted the child's mother. "He's just like a boy in his old age and will make a fine companion for you; he's in his second childhood."

"Second childhood?" repeated the youngster, clapping his hands gleefully. "Gee, it'll be great to see grandpa gettin' ficked like me."

## A NEWSPAPER IS NOT LITERATURE

"Are journalism and literature incompatible?" An English journalist warmly maintains the possibility of their union in a current British review. His formula is simple:

"What is wanted in journalism in order to make it literature is, I repeat, plainness and simplicity of style, and although individually we may be, and indeed are, all miserable sinners in this respect, nevertheless the ideal I have tried to insist on is well worth maintaining. Though it is never completely reached, we may yet get near to it. The true secret of a plain and unaffected style is to have clear and strong thoughts. If a man in the first place knows what he wants to say, and, secondly, if his thoughts are sound and original, noble and beautiful, he will find it not hard but easy to clothe them in appropriate words."

In the first sentence of the excerpt the writer propounds a widely held but fallacious theory of the value of style. Style cannot make journalism literature. It never made anything literature. The process is quite the other way. A piece of writing has style because it is literature. Style is a secondary consideration, though important. There is no great prose work in any language that is not great by intrinsic qualities that are independent of though they may determine, its style.

This view is practically adopted in the succeeding sentences of the extract:

"Having noble, true and original thoughts," he says in effect, "and the style, the expression, will come." In other words, style will convert your journalistic idea into literature if it is already nine-tenths literature! He

will find few to dispute that assertion. The idea that journalism as it is and literature in the ordinary sense can be combined in any other fashion is equally unsound. It shows the theorist, rather than the working journalist. The latter respects own powers more effectively in it by recognizing its limitations.

Much of the crudity, turgidity and general ineffectiveness of journalism is due to the inability of journalists to recognize the fundamental distinction between the field and other fields. It takes a long time for the young reporter to understand that what is wanted is news, clearly and cleanly put, and not an epic. Years often elapse before it dawns on an obtuse editorial writer that literature is not produced under modern journalistic conditions and that there is no earthly demand that it should be.

This confusion of the literary and the journalistic vocations by the editor is incidentally, not the only one that he is subject to. We see on all sides newspaper managers who seem to think that newspapers were established to compete with the church in calling men to righteousness and in reproving them for their sins and general shortcomings.

The real business of a newspaper is to give the news of the day fully and fairly and to interpret the significance of events as clearly and honestly and ably as it can in its editorial columns. If this conception seems to exclude the idea of producing works of transcendent literary merit, it at least leaves to the journalist the consolation that he is doing a work that the world of today could not dispense with.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

### ABOLISHING SICKNESS.

Is the roll of the ages about to be abolished? An adaptation of the gyroscope has been made that promises to put a stop to the side-to-side motion of vessels at sea. If perfected it will do away with seasickness and the shipping of heavy seas, and will enable gunners to shoot accurately. Billiard balls and the moon meal in the saloon will behave as on land. The rock will resemble a middle western prairie, while waves are foaming impetuously over the erect and steady side. Storms will become legendary, and special prayer for those that go down to the sea in ships will be obsolete.

Some of that will be long time coming. But some of it has already come. The gyroscope is an apparatus which heretofore by means of a mighty flywheel sucks up and fights the motion from side to side of the body to which it is attached. Already, R. M. S. Lochiel, plying from Buenos Aires to Three, on the Scotch coast, has diminished her roll from 18 degrees to about 6 degrees. She is a vessel of 443 tons displacement, and her gyroscope weighs seven tons. She is close to being stable, even in a severe storm; and is used as a dock to which the little lighters, dacing on the waves, tie up, and from which live stock may be safely landed.

Such a gyroscope as successfully operates on the Lochiel is being installed on a Hamburg-American coastwise liner at a cost of about \$37,500.

A distant relative of Admiral Sperry, an electrical experimenter of high professional standing, Elmer A. Sperry, has turned from the European "passive" gyroscope and has organized along new lines. His invention is being installed on a model of one of the new battle ships. The navy department is co-operating with him in his experiments. His is the "active" gyroscope, and this differs from all former adaptations of the flywheel and rotary idea. His instrument is able to impart control impulses in any direction in rapid succession. The swing of the European gyroscope is that obtained from the comparatively small angle of motion of the ship itself. The Sperry gyroscope gains a full angle swing, as it functions independently of the motion of the ship. More simply stated, the ship must rock to make the European gyroscope operate. In the Sperry gyroscope, external power for developing control is largely derived from the oscillating parts of the machine itself. It develops more powerful impulses with which to fight the rolling ship, and it is far lighter in weight than the European model. It makes up in activity what is lost in weight.

If this instrument should be fitted on a vessel on a steady keel, ocean travel will lose many of its insecurities. Not long ago a young couple entered a railway station at Sheffield and were immediately put down as a bridal pair. But they were remarkably self-possessed and behaved with such sang-froid that the other passengers began to doubt if their first surprise was correct after all.

As the train moved out, however, the young man rose to remove his overcoat and a shower of rice fell out, while the passengers smiled broadly.

### JUST AS THE TWIG BENDS.

Kendall had a son who was the pride of his heart. One day he found one of his favorite cherry trees cut down.

"Jack," he said, "did you do that?"

With quivering lip Jack replied, "Father, I can't deceive you; I did not cut the tree down; Billy Brown did it, but I tossed the job."

Tears of joy sprang into the father's eyes. "Blame you, my boy," he said. "Billy will be president of the United States, but you will be chairman of the national committee."

Success.

### SUPREME COUNSELOR

Home Guards of America  
Guest of Local Home.

Dr. G. J. Eblen, supreme counselor of the Home Guards of America, was guest of a large number of the members of the local Home, at their regular meeting in Wheeler hall, last night.

The Doctor spoke very highly of the growth of the order since the first of the year, over 2,000 applications having been approved by the Supreme Home. He also announced the date of the District Home meeting which will be held in this city, June 3rd.

The district is composed of 23 homes, and a large crowd of delegates and members will be in attendance at this meeting.

### I. O. O. F. NOTICE.

Members of Lima Lodge No. 581, are requested to meet at their hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock, as regards to Brother J. N. Ballard's funeral. By of Noble Grand.

G. M. Solomon.

### YES, WHY NOT?

If consumption is a preventable disease, why not prevent it? Well, there are a good many "whys" just now. But when the people, the whole people, are once thoroughly aroused and determined that it shall be stamped out the question will surely be answered and answered as it should be.

Education is to be the all powerful agency that will solve the whole problem and eventually win the fight. This means that we must think right on repeating the essential things until every one shall know them. We must continue to talk fresh air and sunshine, cleanliness and right living. In short, the whole people must know and must do the things that make for health and freedom from disease. And, as this sort of knowledge is spread through the masses, so, in just the same proportion, the ratio, will the same proportion of consumption and the other preventable disease diminish. Are you helping in this great work of spreading the right kind of knowledge?—Chicago Tribune.

### WOMAN ON THE BENCH.

Hyman Lazarus, for many years recorder of Rayon, knew the people who came before him. When a woman appeared to accuse a husband who had beaten her he said:

"If I send him to jail you'll come back here tomorrow in tears and ask me to let him out."

"No," she said, "I will not. I'd like to have him punished."

"How much shall I give him, then?" asked Lazarus. "Six months, one month, six months?"

The woman, who had begun to relent, was speechless.

"I'll tell you what I'd do," he said. "You come up here and take my chair, and whatever sentence you pronounce will go."

The woman hesitated, but the recorder insisted. The husband was arraigned before her, and the recorder in a swift voice ordered her to pronounce sentence. "Six months, three months, two months, a month, quick," he said, "let us have it."

The woman burst into tears, she and her husband embraced, and went out of court rejoicing.

"There," said Lazarus, "if you come back I'll give you six months each."—New York Press.



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#### HE WENT TO SLEEP, BUT—

Recently a friend who had heard that I sometimes suffer from insomnia told me of a sure cure. "Get a pint of pennants and drink two or three glasses of milk before going to bed," said he, "and I'll warrant you'll be asleep within half an hour." I did as he suggested, and now for the benefit of others, who may be afflicted with insomnia, I feel it to be my duty to report what happened, so far as I am able to recall the details.

First, let me say my friends were right. I did go to sleep very soon after my retirement. Then a friend with his head under his arm came along and asked me if I wanted to buy his feet. I was negotiating with him, when the dragon on which I was riding slipped out of his skin and left me floating in mid-air. While I was considering how I should get down, a bull with two heads peered over the edge of the wall and said he would beat me up if I would first climb up and rig a windlass for him. So as I was sliding down the mountain side the brakeman came in, and I asked him when the train would reach my station.

"We passed your station 400 years ago," he said, calmly folding the

train up and slipping it into his vest pocket.

At this juncture the clown bounded into the ring and pulled the center-pole out of the ground, lifting the tent and all the people in it up, while I myself go out of sight among the clouds above. Then I awoke and found I had been asleep almost ten minutes.—Good Health Clinic

#### POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A square meal is some people's idea of a square deal.

It doesn't take a man of horse sense to run an automobile.

It sometimes happens that a soft man is hard to get rid of.

Many a widow's heart, has been warmed over by an old flame.

No man's steady character will enable him to keep cool in warm weather.

No matter how great the frontage of a house, the background is only a yard wide.

When a man sneers at a woman's talkativeness he makes a noise like sour grapes.—Chicago News.

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### ASK FOR VOTES.

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Votes will only be issued at the time the subscription is paid and will positively not be issued on receipts.

#### LARGEST FLAT BUILDING.

The largest apartment house in the world is being built on a site covering the entire block bounded by Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh streets, Broadway and Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

It will be 12 stories high, with a court in the center, and will cost \$2,000,000. It will be known as the Belmore.

It will house a community as large as that of many a town, as it will contain 175 apartments, with 2,080 rooms, and the number of occupants, including servants, will be 1,225. It is estimated. The outside dimensions of the building are 250 by 200 feet. Its 12 floors and a mezzanine floor contain 50,000 square feet of space, one and one-eighth acre to a floor, and 13 1/2 acres in all, after deducting the space occupied by the open court, which will be 25 by 100 feet.—New York World.

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints, causing rheumatism. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

#### CAN CHARM EVEN GESE.

The power to charm animals, even including geese, is possessed by Miss Stella, daughter of Joel Weller, of this place. She is a sweet singer, and has a remarkably magnetic power over animals. With a low, musical, whirling sound she attracts and tames any fowl or animal. "Goosy," her web-footed pet, needs but to hear that strange sound, far or near, and will flap her wings, cackle and fly into the girl's lap.—Mantle (Pa.) Cor. Philadelphia Record.

### CENTRAL LEAGUERS

Defeated Cigarmakers at Dayton in Interesting Contest.

LONG HITS WERE FEATURE OF GAME.

Kaler Pitched Entire Game for Locals and Shows Up Good.

Captain Fohl and his Cigarmakers were defeated by the Dayton Central league team Thursday afternoon on the Gem City grounds by the score of 5 to 2. The locals gave their opponents an interesting argument during the entire contest, and demonstrated that they are not out of their class in such company. Long hits were a feature of the contest. Kaler worked for the locals in the box and showed up for a strong candidate on the Lima pitching staff. Both teams were strong at bat, and had it not been for the excellent work of Stecher, who pitched the last five innings for the home team, the score would no doubt have been different, but the plucky twirler fanned seven men, and helped himself out of several bad holes.

The locals play at Van Wert Friday afternoon and a return game will be played here Sunday.

Thursday's score:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lima	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dayton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Base Hits—Lima: 9. Dayton: 12. Errors—Lima: 3. Dayton: 1. Batteries—Kaler and Fohl; Vingling and Stecher and Kelly and Brugger. Umpire—Withoff.

#### GAMES TODAY.

National League.  
Boston at Philadelphia.  
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.  
Chicago at St. Louis.  
New York at Brooklyn.

American League.  
St. Louis at Cleveland.  
Detroit at Chicago.  
Washington at New York.  
Philadelphia at Boston.

Association.  
Kansas City at Milwaukee.  
Indianapolis at Toledo.  
Louisville at Columbus.  
Minneapolis at St. Paul.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.  
Cincinnati, 7; Pittsburgh, 4.  
Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 0.  
New York, 8; Brooklyn, 5.  
Chicago, 7; St. Louis, 3.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cincinnati	6	2	.750
Boston	4	2	.667
New York	3	2	.600
Chicago	3	3	.500
Philadelphia	2	3	.400
St. Louis	3	5	.375
Brooklyn	2	4	.333
Pittsburgh	2	4	.333

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.  
Philadelphia, 6; Boston, 0.  
Chicago, 3; Detroit, 1.  
St. Louis, 6; Cleveland, 4. 14 innings.  
New York, 8; Washington, 1.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	5	2	.714
New York	5	2	.714
Boston	4	3	.571
St. Louis	3	3	.500
Cleveland	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	3	4	.429
Chicago	2	4	.333
Washington	2	5	.286

#### AMERICAN ASS'N.

Yesterday's Results.  
Toledo, 6; Indianapolis, 5.  
Kansas City, 4; Milwaukee, 1.  
Minneapolis, 1; St. Paul, 0.  
Louisville, 2; Columbus, 0. 13 innings.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs	Won	Lost	Pct.
Louisville	6	2	.750
Indianapolis	5	2	.714
Minneapolis	5	2	.714
Milwaukee	4	2	.667
Toledo	4	4	.500
St. Paul	2	4	.333
Kansas City	2	5	.286
Columbus	0	8	.000

Mr. F. G. Fritts, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My little girl was greatly benefited by taking Foley's Orin Laxative, and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Orin Laxative is best for women and children, as it is mild, pleasant and effective, and it cleanses the system and clears the complexion. Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

#### BOY WEARS "NO JAM" TAG.

A sturdy seven-year-old English lad, carrying a big basketful of eatables started from New York for Hibe, Ariz., this afternoon on the second and last stage of a lonesome journey from England. Pinned to the boy's coat was a big tag reading: "This boy is going to a loving mother in Arizona. Treat him as you would have your own boy treated. Don't give him any jam."

At New York Saturday on the Teutonic, is traveling in care of the steward—New York Cor. Philadelphia Record.

## The Wardrobe

Unprecedented showing of "snappy togs" and "classy Haberdashery". Seeing is believing, and we should be very glad to show you.



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Suits, \$10.00 to \$25.00.

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#### LAST TOUCHES

Put on by Shrubbs and St. Yves for Race.

New York, April 23.—Henry St. Yves, the French runner and Alfred Shrubbs, the Englishman, have put on the last touches before their fifteen mile race, which will be run under the glare of electric lights at American League park tomorrow night. The race will be started at 9:15 and will be run over a grass course six laps to the mile. Interest centers in the contest as it is a departure from the many recent marathons seen and because of the doubtful results. St. Yves demonstrated that he was a great runner by winning the \$10,000 Marathon, but Shrubbs has always maintained that he was the fastest 15 mile man in the world and he claims that he can easily defeat the Frenchman at this distance.

#### SOMETHING COMING TO HIM.

A very recent secretary of state one day looked up from his desk and suddenly asked:

"Do you speak Spanish, Mr. Jones?"

"No, sir, I am sorry to say that I do not," the clerk address replied regretfully.

"Too bad, too bad," the secretary commented, and turned again to his papers.

The clerk had visions of an offered appointment as secretary of legation at Madrid, and that very night set diligently to work to acquire the language of the sons, and with unusual success. Two months later he ventured to suggest:

"Mr. Secretary, a short while ago you asked me if I was familiar with Spanish. At that time I was not, but I have since mastered it."

"Indeed? Very good," the secretary said. "Have you become really proficient in the language in this short time?"

"It seemed to come easy—I suppose that accounts for it, sir," the clerk modestly admitted.

"Excellent!" the secretary said. "You have a treat in store for yourself. Now you can read 'Don Quixote' in the original!"—Harper's Weekly.

#### THINGS TO THINK ABOUT.

The depth of the earth's atmosphere is from 120 to 200 miles. England builds a battleship in two years, but France requires five. Experiments with ostrich farming in Australia, the eggs being hatched by artificial incubation, are successful.

Recent additions to the French army's field equipment were several automobile refrigerators to transport fresh meat.

Up to a certain point exposure to radium rays stimulates the germination of seeds, but if that point be passed the growth is stopped.

Independence hall, which was bought by the city of Philadelphia from the state for a large sum, on which \$200,000 has been spent for restoration, is visited by a million people a year.

Mr. Nancy M. Johnson, of Washington, was the first person to take out a patent for an ice cream freezer. She was the wife of a naval officer. She took out the patents in 1843 and sold the rights for \$41,500.

#### THE TIME-A-PHONE.

One of the many novelties exhibited at the Chicago electrical show was the time-a-phone. Attached to one of the posts of a booth was a small device about the size of a watch case, but looking like a small telephone receiver. When this device was held to the ear, and a button pushed, the listener could hear the exact time of day. A set of musical chimes strike the hour, and a high-pitched bell tells off the minutes. To a man in the dark the time-a-phone tells the time to a minute. It is planned to use this invention in hotels where each room will be provided with one of the instruments connected to a master clock in the basement. The time-a-phone is placed under the pillow, and any guest wishing to know the hour can simply apply the receiver to the ear and press the button. Electric News.

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**WOMANLY WISDOM.**

"Yes, clean the house and clean the shed."

And clean the barn in every part; But brush the cobwebs from the head, And sweep the showbanks from the heart."

More homes than we know of are broken up by folks trying to live better than their means will permit. Going to do any papering this season? Don't put the new paper right on over the old—peel off every bit of the old you can. Wet the wall with a brush to soften the old paper, scrape off the last bit you can, and then put on the new paper.

It may be handy to throw scraps out of the kitchen door or window, but it makes a nuisance of the chickens. They loaf around the back door waiting for a few crumbs, and do not grow so fast as they would ranging the green fields.

Kerosene is a splendid aid in the cleaning of windows. Into a basin put two tablespoonfuls of kerosene and two of water. Wash with soft cloth and dry with a newspaper.

This process will remove fly-speck, from both glass and paint better than water and soap do, and leaves the glass with a better polish.

There ought to be a rest room for the farmers' wives in every town. One I visited recently has lunch tables, couches, and playthings for the children, and is free to all women. Any country woman will understand after a long drive, the town should look after its country friends.

One reason why we don't get our wall paper to stay on is because we do not cook the starch when we make it. It ought to be made with boiling water, stirred all the time till it looks good and smooth. If you dissolve an ounce of powdered alum to every two pounds of flour you use, that will make the starch better.

From May Farm Journal.

#### WHERE TIP IS BARRED.

Tipping is to be penalized in the state of Washington. To give, solicit or receive any gratuity for service in a public house or by the employe of a public service corporation is made a misdemeanor. Waiters and Pullman porters wishing a new field for the exercise of their talents will not migrate to Washington in large numbers.—Philadelphia Press.

#### HALF MILLION DOLLARS AND MORE LOANED HOME BUILDERS IN LIMA AND VICINITY

By the Lima Home & Savings Association and its desire is to add others to this large class of thrifty people whose ambition is to own their own homes. If you want to buy or build a home in town or country, make application with us, we will make a loan equal to two-thirds of the appraisal and charge you 6 per cent interest, straight. The loan can be paid off in full, or in even hundred dollars at any time.

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#### PREDATORY ARDOR, RATHER.

This report from interior China that an army of 3,000,000 to 4,000,000 men is being drilled and trained in the use of modern arms may be calculated to cool the military ardor of a number of Occidental Powers.—Washington Times.

**NEEDS NO DEFENSE.**

After all, religion doesn't need any defense. If a man says, "I see nothing in Shakespeare," "no one feels alarmed by Shakespeare," and it ought to be the same when a man remarks that religion, churches and the Bible are out of date. He simply passes judgment on himself, that is all.—Detroit News-Tribune.







# IN HIGH LIFE

UNCLE SAM'S SLEUTHS  
CLAIM TO HAVE  
UNEARTHED

Scheme That Has Robbed  
Him of Millions of  
of Duties.

MANY MEMBERS  
OF SMART SET

Will be Hauled Into Court  
to Testify Concerning  
Their Purchases

Abroad at a Price That In-  
cluded the Duty and  
Freight.

San Francisco, April 23.—That  
members of four of the most promi-  
nent families in the fashionable mil-  
lionsaire colony at Burlingame and a  
modest of this city who cater to the  
smart set may be subpoenaed as wit-  
nesses in the investigation of an in-  
ternational smuggling syndicate, is  
the report published here this morn-  
ing.

According to this authority Collec-  
tor Loeb and United States Attorney  
Wise, of New York, are preparing to  
place evidence before the federal  
grand jury that millions of dollars of  
Paris gowns and foreign made lace  
and millinery have been smuggled  
into this country by the syndicate and  
that heavy shipments upon which  
adequate duty have not been paid  
have found their way to Burlingame.  
The system entailed the purchase  
abroad of goods at a price that in-  
cluded the duty and freight. Dress  
makers abroad, it is said, would ship  
to the American modistes who were  
to distribute the parcels. The charge  
is made that instead of keeping faith  
with the purchasers who had pre-  
paid the duty the French modistes,  
through agents connected with fash-  
ionable circles in this country, at-  
tempted to and in many instances did  
secure the return of immensely valua-  
ble shipments free of duty.

TYPICAL  
Venezuelan Revolution Is On in  
Ben Bow City, Illinois.

Ben Bow, Ills., April 23.—In  
a typical Venezuelan revolution  
the government of Ben Bow city  
has been snatched from A. E.  
Bentbow, its founder and presi-  
dent. The enemy is entrenched  
inside the city hall and violence  
will follow any attempt of the  
deposed president to gain con-  
trol, according to a manifesto  
just issued. This morning Ben  
Bow is to the village what Castro  
is to Venezuela, except that  
he has control of the city treas-  
ury. The trouble is this: The  
Illinois legislature recently  
passed a law by which village  
of certain class may elect offi-  
cers on the odd year. Bentbow  
was elected prior to that law,  
for a term of two years and  
when an election was called this  
year, the mayor called it illegal  
and refused to give up his office.  
The rest of the voting citizens,  
the twenty-four voting citizens,  
being foreigners.  
After the election the mayor  
seized the ballot box and refused  
to let go of his office.

ROOSEVELT MAY  
BE MADE TRUSTEE.

New York, April 23.—There has  
been considerable discussion in re-  
cent days as to who would be the  
successor to the late Grover Cleve-  
land as a trustee of the Equitable Life  
Assurance Society, under the terms of  
the trust agreement executed on June  
15, 1905. The President was  
Chairman of the trustees at the time  
of his death on June 24 last.

It is now said the place will be  
tendered former President Roosevelt  
on his return from Africa. Under the  
terms of the trust the surviving trust-  
ees have power to fill a vacancy in  
the board. The agreement lasts only  
until June 15, 1910, as the first five-  
year period will expire on that date.  
The agreement can be extended for  
another five-year period only on con-  
dition that the trustees so petition.  
The party expects to arrive at  
Kapiti Plains station at midday.

SOCIALIST MEETING.  
Local Lima socialist party will  
meet Sunday, April 25th, at their old  
headquarters on the east side of  
the Square, at 2:30 in the afternoon,  
for the purpose of re-organizing. All  
members are urged to be present.  
L. H. Boardman,  
Secretary.

TOO MUCH MONEY.

Last week national bank circula-  
tion increased \$753,493 and the  
stock market took on an activity  
which some attribute to the fore-  
stalling of future good times. It is  
said that the boomlet on Wall street  
does not reflect present good times,  
and some at least think it is reflect-  
ing monetary inflation, which is pro-  
ceeding at the rate of four per cent.  
The circulation of the country  
only \$3,086,000,000, against \$3,080,  
000,000 last year. But the increase  
is all in bank notes, while the more  
substantial elements of the circula-  
tion are deteriorating in quality at a  
faster rate. This gold coin and cer-  
tainly in circulation are now \$1,  
404,000,000 last year. But silver  
dollars and certificates are now  
\$547,000,000, against \$571,000,000  
last year.—New York Times.

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## The Best Bargains are Always at the Boston Store.

Where the best Bargains are you'll find the biggest crowds. They're at the BOSTON STORE because its well the people know there's MONEY TO BE SAVED on just the things they need to buy—and they ask themselves wisely—"Why pay more than the Boston Store Prices?"

Being Quantity Buyers for cash our combined stores, buying as one, always secure advantages that bring the prices down to rock bottom. Because we always have the cash, we always have special opportunities. We always increase the purchasing power of your dol-

Saturday's Extraordinary  
Announcement. Thous-  
ands of Yards of Silk  
Finish Poplins and  
Swansilk Pongees, all  
best 25c values at

12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c yard.

Beautiful Silk Lustrous Dress  
Poplins and Swansilks (some  
folks call them Soisette Silks).  
Come in black, white, evening  
shades, and all the wanted colors  
for street wear. Think of buying  
these smart dress materials, now  
so much in demand, Saturday at  
the Boston Store, at  
yard

One Big Circular Rack (about 25 suits) of Women's  
Superb Spring Suits go on Sale Saturday at

\$7.95.

These are actual \$12.50 and \$15.00 values.  
Also great lot of women's sample Suits, worth up to  
\$22.50, (too many styles to de-  
scribe) at

\$10.95.

Sale of Girls Spring Coats.

Tremendous Purchase of Girl's Spring Coats from  
Henry Melville, receiver for the Bankrupt Firm of  
Simon Gursburg & Bro., 107-109 Blecker Street, New  
York, on sale tomorrow, Saturday morning. The pur-  
chase of girl's Spring Coats has been divided in four  
groups and priced for speedy selling at

69c, 98c, \$1.49 and 1.98.

In each group you will easily find many garments  
worth double the price.

Sale of Women's White  
Petticoats.

\$1.00 WHITE PETTICOATS AT 79c.  
Women's long white Petticoats, of good quality muslin and cambric,  
with flounce of wide embroidery, or lace edging with rows of  
insertings, at

79c

\$2.00 WHITE PETTICOATS AT \$1.25.  
Women's long white Petticoats of fine grade of muslin, with flounce  
of good quality Swiss Embroidery and inserting bands to match.  
\$2.00 value at

\$1.25

\$3.00 WHITE PETTICOATS AT \$1.95.  
Women's long White Petticoats, with deep flounce of exquisite Swiss  
Embroidery and wide inserting, bands, also beautiful petti-  
coats with flounce composed of 10 rows of Val. lace at

\$1.95

\$1.50 WHITE PETTICOATS AT 98c.  
Women's long White Petticoats, with extra wide flounce of wide Swiss  
Embroidery, trimming alone worth more than the price we ask  
for these skirts, Saturday at

98c

SILK WAISTS.  
Women's \$3.00 Satin finish Messa-  
line Silk Waists, in black, navy,  
green, gray and lavender, special  
for Saturday only, at

\$2.49.

SILK PETTICOATS.  
Regatta Silk Petticoats in black,  
and desirable shades for street  
and evening wear. Guaranteed  
not to crack or split, usual \$5.50  
value, Saturday

\$2.98.

EMBROIDERIES.  
Special purchase of 1000 yards of  
wide Nainsook and Cambric Edg-  
ings and Insertings, worth 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c  
and 15c yard, on sale Saturday  
at yard

7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c.

WOMEN'S HOSE.  
Real cobweb like, silk finish  
stockings, in black, tan, blue,  
pink and lavender, better than any  
sold elsewhere at 25c, a great  
underselling bargain at

19c.

WOMEN'S WAISTS.  
White Lawn and Lingerie Waists,  
new embroidered and lace trim-  
med models, with long tapering  
sleeves. Waists that cannot be  
duplicated anywhere at less than  
\$1.50 and \$2.00, here,

98c.

Clothing for Men Who Want  
to Save.

MEN'S \$12.50 AND \$15.00 SUITS \$8.88.  
A good clothing maker wanted a quick spot cash buyer for a big lot of  
made up stock, so again we demonstrate our underselling power by of-  
fering choice selection of \$12.50 and \$15.00 suits, made of  
fine worsteds in the newest spring shades and patterns, at

\$8.88

MEN'S \$18.00 AND \$20.00 SUITS \$12.95.  
Men who know good clothing and want to save will surely come to the  
Boston Store Saturday. Suits far in advance of the usual ready-to-wear  
in style and quality and that sell anywhere else at \$18.00  
and \$20.00, here at

\$12.95

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S \$10 SUITS \$5.95.  
Suits for men and young men that are positively matchless at this price.  
They come in the newest shades and patterns, extremely great  
value even for this store, Saturday at

\$5.95

Notion Savings

King's 200 yard spools black  
of white machine thread. 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c  
5c pure white pearl but-  
tons, at dozen 1c  
100 yard spools best qual-  
ity sewing silk 6c  
One dozen 4-4 Tubular  
shoe laces for 3c  
5 yard piece of Feather-  
stitch braid, for 3c  
Clark's O. N. T. Darning  
Cotton, at spool 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c  
3c Tooth Brushes, with good  
bristles, at 3c  
White Tape 2 1/2 widths, at  
roll 1c

Men's Furnishings--Surpris-  
ingly Low Prices.

MEN'S \$1.00 AND \$1.50 DRESS SHIRTS 79c.  
Large and varied assortment of high grade Madras and Percalé Shirts.  
Also white pleated dress Shirts, samples from a Troy, N. Y. man-  
ufacturer, usually sell at \$1 and \$1.50, great value at 79c  
MEN'S 50c BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR 29c.  
Great mill purchase and sale of men's 50c Silk Finish Balbriggan Shirts  
and Drawers, made of best Maco Yarn, in cream, pink, blue and  
gray, Saturday at 29c  
MEN'S \$1.00 SET SNUG UNION SUITS 69c.  
Most comfortable and perfect fitting Union Suits made, come in medium  
and summer weights. Eerie or brown colors, not equalled any-  
where at our price 69c  
MEN'S 25c BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR 19c.  
Men's best 25c quality Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, are trimmed  
with pearl buttons and twin needle seams, all sizes cream and  
fancy colors, 25c value at 19c

BOSTON STORE

233-235 North Main Street, Lima, Ohio.

What Others Advertise, We  
Sell for Less.

BOSTON STORE

233-235 North Main Street, Lima, Ohio.

WAR ON THE FLY.

(New York Sun)  
Even if all our chief cities and most  
of our modern industries have been  
thoroughly muckraked, the field has  
not yet been exhausted. There re-  
main the insects. To be sure the  
mosquito has been thoroughly ex-  
posed. Everybody knows that he or  
she is a carrier of disease and a men-  
ace to the health.  
Now it's the turn of the house fly,  
and the Merchants' Association, which  
neglects few chances to engage in a  
crusade, has declared its doom. The  
first gun in the warfare is a pam-  
phlet of 48 pages, "The House Fly at  
the Bar. Indictment, Guilty or  
Not Guilty."

Trust the pamphlet, which is not  
merely an indictment but a brief for  
the people, and there is little doubt  
of the verdict. The house fly is guilty  
of many things, but chiefly  
of transmitting typhoid.

Other experiments and the conclu-  
sions drawn from them are thus sum-  
med up:  
A careful study of the seasonal  
prevalence of flies by means of daily  
counts from fly cages in different im-  
ports of the city showed that they  
were active in large numbers only in  
the comparatively few hot weeks of  
summer, while the health statistics  
showed that these were the weeks  
when an abnormal number of cases of  
typhoid fever and diarrhoea were  
contracted. The reported number of  
cases of these diseases rose with the  
prevalence of flies and fell with the  
wax and wane of the house fly.  
Finally maps were made showing  
the location of every general store  
in the city. A black bell was found  
in the to run along the water front.  
Most of the deaths were within three  
blocks of the shore line.  
The danger to health is greatest  
in parts of the city where sanitary  
precautions are most neglected, but  
large small bodies of water even if  
it such water was not used for drink-  
ing purposes, furnished breeding  
grounds for flies from which they  
gathered and spread the germs of

typhoid fever and other intestinal  
diseases.  
In a later paper Mr. Jackson showed  
how he had reached this conclu-  
sion. For one thing, flies captured  
in the foul sewage-charged waters of  
the river were captured starved and  
light of recent knowledge, the fly is  
shown to be traveling back and forth  
between the filth and the near-by  
homes and restaurants where food  
was constantly exposed. A micro-  
scopic examination showed that these  
flies carried disease bacteria.  
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between a policeman and a District  
Attorney and all three are of a size  
CHINA'S GREAT WALL.  
Dr. Gell's Important Discovery—As-  
serts That Are Known.  
Dr. W. Edgar Gell, the well known  
American traveler, who has just ar-  
rived in London after a trip in Asia,  
has furnished some interesting par-  
ticulars of an important discovery he  
made in China, where he traveled  
along the entire length of the Great  
Wall.  
The newly discovered loop runs  
from a point west of Sining south  
to the Yellow river near the city of  
Ho, where are the remains of the  
gateway to Lung-chao. On the great-  
est portion of this section no masonry  
now remains but there are massive  
towers of earthen core, an satis-  
fied, as a result of my investigation,  
that there are at least 10 great walls  
apart from that which is known as  
the Great Wall of China.  
"Parts of the journey were very  
hard on account of the altitude. In  
some of the remotest mountainous  
parts the people had never before  
seen white men. At one point we  
heard of a race of Chinese pigmies,  
and the investigations I was able to  
make tended to confirm the reports  
we received. It is said that the an-  
cestors of these people, who live in  
the mountains, were driven there  
when the wall was building, having  
escaped to avoid compulsory work on  
the wall. Their descendants have  
lived in these mountains for 20 cen-  
turies and are today wild creatures  
covered with hair. We had no dif-  
ficulty with the natives anywhere ex-  
cept in the neighborhood of Tibet,

where we found the people suspicious,  
and we did not remain longer than  
was necessary for the purpose of our  
investigations.  
"During the trip I was enabled to  
spend some time in investigating the  
mound of Chin, near Chai-Fu—the  
burial place of the originator of the  
Great Wall—to which, so far, not  
much attention has been given. I  
did everything except go inside,  
which I found to be impossible on ac-  
count of the superstitious of the peo-  
ple. It is an enormous mound of 818  
acres, surrounded by ruined walls.  
We were told that there was beneath  
it a subterranean palace connected  
by a long tunnel with the moun-  
tains."  
From the advertisers' stand-  
point, one newspaper in the  
home is worth a dozen on the  
highway.  
The Lima Times-Democrat  
is THE home newspaper of  
Lima.  
Object to Strong Medicines.  
Many people object to taking the  
strong medicines usually prescribed  
by physicians for rheumatism. There  
is no need of internal treatment in  
any case of muscular or chronic  
rheumatism, and more than nine out  
of every ten cases are of one or the  
other of these varieties. When there  
is no fever and little (if any) swell-  
ing, you may know that it is only ne-  
cessary to apply Chamberlain's Lin-  
iment freely to get quick relief. Try  
it. For sale by all druggists.

BLOCK SIGNAL  
System That Will Overcome  
Faults of R. R. Employees.  
Chicago, April 23.—The block  
signal and the train control  
board of the Interstate Commerce  
commission are scheduled to  
take a trip on the Burlington  
today to a point near Aurora to  
inspect a device for automati-  
cally stopping trains whose crews  
ignore the danger signal. The  
device has been in operation for  
more than a year and experi-  
mental tests have been made  
morning an evening each day.  
The information possessed by  
the board is that there has not  
been a single failure of the de-  
vice to work properly either  
during the winter or summer.  
The track circuit is so fixed  
that when a signal is at danger  
the automatic stop is in a posi-  
tion to do its work. Should the  
train pass the signal which is set  
against its progress the wheels  
of the locomotive strike a part  
of the track mechanism which  
opens a valve connected with the  
air reservoir. This releases the  
air in auxiliary reservoirs under  
the cars and thereby sets the air  
brakes.  
Sick headache, constipation and  
biliousness are relieved by Rings  
Little Liver Pills. They cleanse the  
system. Do not gripe. Price 25c.  
Sold at Red Cross Drug Store.  
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Sample  
Corsets.

Best \$1.00 sample Corsets, new-  
models, W. B. Emptire and Suro-  
makes, with 4 or 6 hose sup-  
porters, special 62c

Women's 25c  
Lace Trimmed  
Muslin Drawers.  
16c  
Child's 25c gus-  
ham and  
Chamberlay  
Play Suit.  
22c

Silk  
Gloves.

Women's best 50c pure silk gloves  
with durable, double finger tips in  
black, patent, white, tan,  
brown and gray 39c

Boys' and Girl's  
best 15c ribbed  
School  
Stockings,  
11c  
10c Neck lengths  
of Silk  
Huckings,  
3c

Girls'  
Dresses.

Girl's dresses, new jumper, sailor  
and fancy yoke styles, of percales  
and chambrays, regular \$1.55 98c

Women's 39c  
Lisle Gloves in  
black, white  
and tan,  
25c  
Girl's 69c Per-  
cale and Gus-  
ham Dresses,  
49c

Boys'  
Suits.

Little fellow's fancy Suits of new  
pattern worsted cloths, sizes 3 to 10  
years of age, real values  
up to \$2.50, at \$1.39

Men's 50c heavy  
Blue Denim  
Overalls,  
39c  
Men's 10c heavy  
Canvas Work  
Gloves,  
4c

Lace  
Curtains.

Regular \$1.00 quality Nottingham  
Lace Curtains, in white and cream,  
yards long, very special, at 69c

35c White Flaid  
Ruffled Cur-  
tains, at pair,  
20c  
\$1.50 Snowflake  
Summer Por-  
tients, at pr  
85c

Union  
Suits.

Women's white yarn union suits  
with lace trimmed knee drawers,  
sold elsewhere at 35c. Un-  
derselling price 23c